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HIS LATEST BOAST

Weyler Wants Only One More Year To End the War.

AND INCIDENTALLY 40,000 MORE MEN

Pardons for Insurgents Who Wish To Surrender Soon To Be Denied—Maceo's Forces in Pinar del Rio Will Be Crushed Out.

Madrid, June 23.—A dispatch to the Imparcial from Havana says that Capt.-General Weyler is confident that he will be able to put an end to the insurrection in Cuba in the spring, when active operations will be resumed. The dispatch adds that he will withdraw his offers to pardon rebels who surrender.

Relies on Reinforcements.

Havana, June 23.—It is reported on good authority that Capt.-General Weyler is pleased with the aspect of military affairs in the island, and that the government has expressed its approval of his plan of campaign. He is confident that with the reinforcements of 40,000 men promised him by the minister of war he will be able to crush the rebellion and that he will return triumphant to Spain in June next. It is his intention to send 20,000 of the new troops, when they arrive, to the province of Pinar del Rio, where they will be employed in crushing Maceo, and the other 20,000 will be used to strengthen the Jucaro trocha. These reinforcements will enable Gen. Weyler to disperse with the services of the volunteers who are at present doing garrison duty.

Two Men Shot in Cabanas Fortress.

Andres Hernadez and Miguel Alonso Cabrera were shot in Cabanas fortress yesterday for the crime of rebellion. The rebel leader Montes de Oca has surrendered to the Spanish authorities at Sagua. Sunday night a body of rebels fired upon the fort protecting Guanabacoa, just across the bay from Havana. They were repulsed by the garrison. Another band attacked the town of Arroyo Arenas, twelve miles from Havana. They were also repulsed. On their retreat they burned several houses at Cantaranas, close to Arroyo Arenas.

Cuban Messengers Caught.

Havana, June 23.—Eleven Cubans arrived at Annoto bay on Saturday last in an open boat. Three of them landed and the balance of the party started to return, but the boat was detained. Three of the men are said to be messengers from the insurgents under Puyals, Wilson and Benito, named Fernandez, Laulz and Moralo. The boat was chased by a Spanish gunboat.

Spanish Outrage on British Soil.

Kingston, Jamaica, June 23.—It is reported here that the commander of a Spanish warship attempted, a few days ago, to commit a high-handed outrage on British territory. A party from the warship landed at Dry Harbor and attempted to kidnap a Cuban residing there who is prominently connected with the insurrection in Cuba. The attempt failed and the Cuban appealed to the British authorities for protection, which was granted. A number of armed policemen are now patrolling in the vicinity of the Cuban's home.

Gen. Lee's Report.

London, June 23.—The Standard will to-day publish a dispatch from Madrid saying that the government is still uninformed officially of the report which Gen. Fitzhugh Lee, the American consul-general at Havana, has made to his government anent the situation in Cuba. If the tenor of the report as is stated in unofficial dispatches received in Madrid it will make Gen. Lee's stay in Havana difficult.

SIR AUGUSTUS HARRIS DEAD.

The Well-Known Theatrical Manager Passed Away Last Night.

London, June 23.—Sir Augustus Harris, the well-known theatrical and operatic manager, whose critical illness at Folkestone was announced in these dispatches yesterday, died at 10:30 o'clock last night.

Sir Augustus Harris was born in 1852 and has been the lessee of Drury Lane theatre since 1879, where he has produced a number of successful pantomimes and several dramas. He revived grand opera at Drury Lane in 1887, and at the Royal Opera house, Convent Garden, in 1888. He was knighted in 1891, after the visit of Emperor William of Germany to London.

Druses Killed 500 Turks.

Constantinople, June 23.—A dispatch from Beyrout, Syria, says that during the recent fighting between the Turks and the insurgent Druses in the Hauran districts the former lost five hundred men killed.

Fought the Servian Officials.

Belgrade, June 23.—A serious conflict has taken place between Servian officials and Montenegrins at Kursumlija. Several persons were killed and wounded on both sides.

Jockey Hotersalle Killed.

Forsythe, Ind., June 23.—In the race at the track yesterday Jockey Hotersalle fell off Little Bob and was killed.

ELIZABETH GARDNER WED.

The Great Woman Artist Now the Wife of Bouguereau, the Painter.

Paris, June 23.—The civil marriage took place yesterday of Adolphe William Bouguereau, the celebrated French painter, and Elizabeth Gardner, formerly of Exeter, New Hampshire. The ceremony was performed by the mairie of the sixth arrondissement. The witnesses for the bride were Samuel F. Morse, the American consul-general, and Edward Tuck, a native of Exeter who has lived in Paris for many years, and for the bridegroom Paul Ginein, a distinguished architect, and Gabriel Thomas, a well-known sculptor. The religious ceremony took place in the chapel of the convent of Notre Dame de Sion, the Bishop of Angers officiating.

M. Bouguereau was born in La Rochelle in 1825, and is now in his 72d year. He is a member of the institute of France and an officer of the Legion of Honor. He gained the Grand Prize in 1850, and went to Rome. His real fame dates from 1854, when he exhibited "The body of St. Cecelia Borne to the Catacombs." Other of his noted works are "Philomela and Procne," 1861, and the "Mater Afflictorum," 1876. For the latter the artist received 12,000 francs from the government, and he refused double that sum from a prominet individual. The bride is one of the greatest women artists of the day, and in 1887 she was awarded the gold medal of the Paris salon, she being the only American woman artist who has thus been honored. She became acquainted with M. Bouguereau nearly twenty-five years ago when she was struggling to gain a foothold in the art world. She became his pupil, and would have married him years ago had it not been for the opposition of M. Bouguereau's mother, who objected to her son marrying an American. The mother died some time since, and the marriage followed. Among the bride's works are "Cornelia and Her Jewels" and "Cinderella." Her most famous work is "David the Shepherd."

McKinley Celebration at Watertown.

Watertown, N. Y., June 23.—The republicans of Jefferson county ratified the nomination of McKinley and Hobart last night by an enthusiastic demonstration, including a mass meeting at the city opera house, at which Congressman Chickering, Watson M. Rogers and others delivered addresses, and an illuminated procession accompanied by a display of fireworks. The Lincoln league, the Morton club and other organizations participated.

10,000 Spindle Mill.

Baltimore, June 23.—A special dispatch to the Manufacturer's Record reports that a 10,000-spindle mill will be built at Gaffney, S. C., to spin fine numbers, from 100s to 150s, and to be woven into all kinds of fancy cotton goods. This will be the first mill built in southern states to manufacture such a grade of goods as this.

Vanderbilt-Wilson Wedding.

New York, June 23.—The United Press is authorized to deny the statements to the effect that Cornelius Vanderbilt, jr., and Miss Grece Wilson, whose marriage was announced to take place last Thursday, but had to be postponed owing to the groom's sudden illness, are to be married in a day or two.

O'Connor's Fine Decision.

Boston, June 23.—Judge Lawton of the Middlesex court has handed down a decision in the case of Dr. K. Carleton Fitzgerald of Malden in which he decided that physicians cannot recover the value of their services in this commonwealth according to law.

Killed by a Railway.

Newark, N. J., June 23.—James Mc[illegible] fell from hotel [illegible] early yesterday an actor of note, had his skull fractured and neck broken in a runaway accident in front of his place last evening. He was hurled against a telegraph pole.

Treasury Gold Reserve.

Washington, June 23.—The treasury gold reserve at the opening of business this morning stood at $102,221,907. Yesterday's withdrawals were $886,700.

National League Games Yesterday.

At Chicago—Chicago, 3; Cincinnati, 1. At Cleveland—Pittsburg, 4; Cleveland 2. At Louisville—Louisville, 5; St. Louis, 1. At Washington—Washington, 4; Boston, 3; twelve innings. At Philadelphia—Baltimore, 14; Philadelphia, 3.

Standing of the Clubs.

	W.	L.	Per Ct		W.	L.	Per Ct
Balt'm're	33	18	.647	Phil'phia	29	25	.537
Cleve'd	30	18	.625	Brook'n	27	24	.529
Cincinn'i	33	21	.611	Chicago	28	27	.509
Boston	28	21	.571	N. York	21	31	.404
Wash'n	26	22	.542	St. Louis	14	38	.269
Pitts'g	27	23	.540	L'ville	11	39	.220

Minor League Games.

Rochester, 12; Springfield, 7. Buffalo, 9; Scranton, 7. Toronto, 19; Wilkesbarre, 1. Syracuse, 6; Providence, 3. Hartford, 6; Wilmington, 5. Paterson, 7; New Haven, 3.

Exhibition Games.

New York (National league), 13; Cracow, 6. Brooklyn (National league) 6; Newport, 5.

RUSSELL WILL AID

Massachusetts Ex-Governor Going to Chicago Convention.

TO FIGHT THE SILVER MOVEMENT

Joins the Gold Standard Leaders at the Solicitation of Whitney—Will Decline To Permit His Name To Be Placed in Nomination.

Boston, June 23.—When seen last night in regard to the report that he was going to Chicago with ex-Secretary Whitney ex-Gov. Wm. E. Russell said: "At the earnest request of Mr. Whitney and others I am going to Chicago with him to give him whatever help I can in the struggle in the democratic party for sound money against free silver. My own views on the subject are well known and have been often stated. Believing the issue to be of the gravest importance, not only to the country but to the present and future of the democratic party, I cannot remain inactive if it is thought I can be of any service at Chicago. I cannnot, however, go to Chicago under the least suspicion that I am there for any personal reasons, nor can I take part in this fight embarrassed by any personal interest in the result. I shall, therefore, decline to have my name presented to the convention as a candidate. I believe in making the stoutest possible fight for sound money and the gold standard and shall not give up the fight until the votes are counted. I consider it both a duty and a privilege to take part in this struggle and I shall do it with my whole heart, unembarrassed by any personal considerations and in the earnest hope and belief that the democratic convention will be sound both in its platform and its candidates."

Belmont Will Go to Chicago.

Paris, June 23.—A representative of the United Press last evening questioned the Hon. Perry Belmont regarding a statement that he intended to bring his European tour to a close and return to the United States. Mr. Belmont confirmed the report, and added that he intended to sail for New York in a short time in order to attend the democratic national convention at Chicago as a delegate from Suffolk county, New York.

Gold Standard Endorsed.

New Rochelle, N. Y., June 23.—The second district assembly democratic convention of Westchester county was held here yesterday and delegates to the various conventions were chosen. Resolutions were passed endorsing the gold standard.

Englishmen Predict Bland's Nomination.

London, June 23.—Some of the papers here predict that Bland will be nominated by the democrats on a free coinage platform.

THE JAPANESE TIDAL WAVE.

An Official Report Estimating the Loss of Life at 30,000.

Washington, June 23.—The first official report that has reached Washington of the great Japanese earthquake and tidal wave came yesterday to the state department from Mr. Herod, secretary of our legation at Tokio, in the following brief cable dispatch, which, however, makes the calamity out to be much worse than heretofore reported: "Death caused by tidal wave estimated at over 30,000 in reports up to date. No mortality among Americans."

Second Grade Teachers' Certificate.

Albany, June 23.—The state department of public instruction announces that the result of the examination for second grade teachers certificates held in Rochester June 4 and 5 beats the best previous state record, forty-four passing successfully out of the fifty-nine who tried.

Icebergs Passed by Steamer Norseman.

Boston, June 23.—Capt. Williams of the steamer Norseman, at this port from Liverpool, reports from June 17 to 19, between latitude 48 43 north and longitude 78.53 west, passing two large icebergs and a number of small ones, also a quantity of detached ice.

Two Killed in a Train Wreck.

Montpelier, Vt., June 23.—Two men were killed and three injured in a rear-end collision on the Central Vermont railroad near here yesterday. The men killed were: J. Sesskind of Chicago and Edward Brown of Janesville, Wis. Both were cattle men.

Killed Under a Collapsed Building.

San Francisco, June 23.—By the collapse of a three-story frame building, occupied on the ground floor as a restaurant, on the corner of Fifth street and Mint avenue, yesterday afternoon three people were killed outright and seven others were more or less seriously injured. At least two more victims are known to be in the ruins.

Does Not Expect a Bolt.

Philadelphia, June 23.—National Chairman Harrity was asked if he anticipated any such bolt at the democratic convention as took place in St. Louis. In answer he said: "None of any consequence. Should the gold standard men be in the majority Hillman might walk out."

GREAT TURF EVENT

Brooklyn Suburban Handicap To Be Run This Afternoon.

A SMALL FIELD TO DO BATTLE

Candidates Consider It a Race Between Henry of Navarre and Clifford—Sir Walter a Doubtful Candidate. Hornpipe's Chance.

New York, June 23.—The thirteenth Suburban Handicap will be run for at Sheepshead bay this afternoon. The Suburban and first division of the double event will be the star attractions of the opening day of the Coney Island Jockey club's spring meeting. As a matter of course the Suburban is the event around which the most interest centers. The indications this morning were that a small field would do battle for the coveted prize. Not more than seven horses will go to the post. This is one more than last year. As the two cracks, Henry of Navarre and Clifford, are among the contestants the general public is satisfied with a small field. It diminishes the chances of crowding, and practically insures a true race. The race from the outsider's point of view has resolved itself into a match between Henry of Navarre and Clifford. The Blemton stable's candidate has done everything in the way of preparatory work that has been asked of him. The acknowleged king received his final trial on Saturday. He was sent a mile and a half. He negotiated the distance in 2:38 1-2 and finished well within himself. Henry of Navarre's mile and a quarter was reeled off in 2:09 1-2. Clifford was also asked the final question on Saturday. He went over the course in 2:10 1-2. His work, although a second slower than Henry of Navarre's, was very much admired by the horsemen located at the Long Island track, who were all on hand to see the cracks get their last trials. Keenan went a mile with Henry of Navarre and then stopped. The mile was covered in 1:42½. This gave color to a rumor that the stable had resolved to send him to the post to cut the pace for his mighty stable companion. At the eleventh hour he was withdrawn. Henry of Navarre has received a careful preparation and although Clifford has become favorite on the future books it is thought that the former will be in greater demand before the horses go to the post. Clifford owes his favoritism chiefly to the fact that Taral will ride him. Taral is strong enough to do him justice. The penalty incurred for winning the Brooklyn handicap, twelve pounds, made Sir Walter with 125 pounds on his back a doubtful candidate. He is in great shape just now, but his impost is entirely too great for the game little fellow to hold his own with Henry of Navarre or Clifford. He will not have the advantage of Taral on his back either. If the delay at the post is not too great and Clifford runs kindly he will give Henry of Navarre the fight of his life this afternoon. If he can't win easily he will know that there has been a horse race.

Outside Chances for Hornpipe.

Belmar, with 110 pounds up, will take a lot of beating. He is a thoroughly game horse, and although he is not really at his best he will be very near the winner at the finish. Simms has been engaged to ride him. He can safely be depended upon to get the last ounce out of the Preakness candidate. Clayton will pilot The Commoner if W. J. Wallace adheres to his intention and sends the horse to the post. This horse is outclassed. W. Lakeland's Hornpipe is regarded by many good judges as having an outside chance. He won the Brooklyn Handicap by a fluke, and although a victory for Lakeland would be a popular event and a big thing for the Brighton Beach contingent, it would be the height of folly to back him to beat such horses as Henry of Navarre and Clifford. He may have a chance to get third money after a battle with Belmar and Sir Walter. Nanki Pooh has won a race this season, but his imperfect performance in the Brooklyn Handicap would not warrant any one supporting him in the Suburban. The company will, if there is not a glaring reversal of form, be entirely too good for him.

FOUGHT A DUEL WITH PISTOLS.

One German Officer Almost Instantly Killed on the Field of Honor.

Berlin, June 23.—A duel was fought yesterday morning at Kummersdorf, near Berlin, between Lieut. Buch of the Ninth regiment and Lieut. Luehring of the Sixth regiment. The weapons used were pistols. Lieut. Luehring was shot and almost instantly killed.

To Meet in Washington in '99.

Glasgow, June 23.—The Pan-Presbyterian council has unanimously accepted the invitation to hold its meeting at Washington in 1899 and has thanked San Francisco for the invitation extended by that city.

Another Trolley Victim.

Newark, N. J., June 23.—George Dattermick, 6-years-old, was crushed to death under a trolley car on which he attempted to steal a ride yesterday afternoon. The wheels of the car passed over his head.

CELEBRATION AT PATERSON.

Democrats Join the Republicans in the Hobart Jollification Last Night.

Paterson, N. J., June 23.—This city was brilliantly illuminated and decorated last night in honor of Garret A. Hobart for vice-president. Between 5,000 and 6,000 citizens of all political parties joined in a procession to the armory, where 5,000 persons, mostly women, were in waiting for the parade. All the musical organizations in the city were engaged for the occasion. While marching round the interior of the spacious building the spectacle reminded one of Kiralfy's "Fall of Rome." Pandemonium reigned supreme within the enclosure for nearly twenty minutes after the last banner became motionless. Judge John Hopper, a democrat, was the first speaker. After paying a high compliment to the candidate for vice-president and his career in Patterson, he introduced Mayor Braun, also a democrat. The latter said that Mr. Hobart was worthy of all the honors that could be bestowed upon him. Gov. John W. Griggs followed in a brief address. He said that he knew Mr. Hobart for thirty years and was positive that if he was elected vice-president none in this city would rejoice more over his election than those of the opposite party.

Mr. Hobart's Remarks.

When Mr. Hobart advanced to the front of the platform, which was heavily laden with floral pieces the audience went wild with enthusiasm, the women cheering more lustily than the male portion of the assemblage. Mr. Hobart confined his remarks to the city and people of Paterson, and said that he would rather have the esteem and confidence of the people, such as was manifested at the present moment, than any office within the gift of any political organization. He referred to the smallness of the town when he came here thirty years ago and its rapid growth from that time. At the conclusion of his speech he quoted the following lines from Robert Burns:

"The bridegroom may forget the bride, who was made his wedded wife yesterden.
The monarch may forget the crown that on his brow an honor hath been,
The mother may forget the babe that smiles so sweetly on her knee,
But I'll remember the Glencarn and all that thou hast done for me."

MAJOR M'KINLEY'S CALLERS.

Mark Hanna, H. Clay Evans and Others Visit Canton.

Canton, O., June 23.—Hon. Henry Clay Evans, the defeated candidate for the vice-presidential nomination, who came here yesterday with Mr. Hanna and party, expressed himself to a United Press reporter as being well satisfied with the ticket. Mr. Evans was his usual frank, entertaining self and responded readily to a suggestion for an interview. "What do you think of the ticket, now that it does not include the name of Evans?" he was asked. "I think it is a first rate combination," was his hearty answer, "and a sure winner. It will go well in our part of the country." "Is there any chance for carrying Tennessee?" "Indeed there is, much more than a fighting chance, too. Our governorship contest will give us votes. The democrats nominated Bob Taylor as the only man they could possibly elect. He served two terms and made a very poor governor." Mr. Evans returned to Cleveland last evening and left at once for Chattanooga. The meeting between Major McKinley and Mr Hanna was the first since the convention. There was nothing theatrical or demonstrative about it, neither of the gentlemen being inclined to exhibit emotion even under the most trying circumstances. Mr. Hanna came down on the Valley railroad in his private car, accompanied by Mrs. Hanna, Hon. Henry Clay Evans, Col. and Mrs. Fred Grant of New York; Wm. Osborne, a cousin of the major's, ex-police commissioner of Boston; Messrs. Myron T. Herrick and Sylvester Everett of Cleveland. Major McKinley was at the station and met his guests in the car. The greeting to and from Mr. Hanna was marked with a cordial grasp of the hand. The major said: "I am glad to see you," and Mr. Hanna responded: "Major, I am glad to see you." Alighting from the car, Major McKinley took Mrs. Hanna, Mrs. Grant and Mr. Evans with him in the family carriage and drawn by the staid old white horse they proceeded sedately and securely to the house. The other gentlemen used public conveyances, Messrs. Herrick and Everett repairing to one of the hotels. Shortly after reaching the house lunch was served.

Farm Buildings Struck by Lightning.

Biddeford, Me., June 23.—The farm buildings of Joan Haley in West Hobbs were struck by lightning yesterday. Five persons were in the building, and one of them, S. E. Thayer, who sat near the chimney, where the bolt entered, was unconscious for half an hour, owing to a severe shock received.

Study at the War College.

Newport, R. I., June 23.—Capt. Mahan U. S. N., will be the only lecturer at the war college this week. "Strategy" will be his subject each day. The class will give their time wholly to attending the lectures to the study of the problem and war games.

WORK MAPPED OUT

Democrats' Programme at Saratoga To-morrow Arranged.

LEADERS MET AT ALBANY LAST NIGHT

Conference at the Residence of Senator Hill — Delegates-at-Large Selected and the Regular State Platform To Be Adopted.

Albany, June 23.—Several of the prominent democratic leaders were in Albany last night. Chairman J. W. Hinkley of the state committee arrived from Poughkeepsie on an early evening train and proceeded at once to Senator Hill's home, Wolfert's Roost, where he spent the night as the senator's guest. Ex-Secretary of the Navy Whitney accompanied him. Senator Hill, Mr. Whitney and Mr. Hinkley will start this afternoon for Saratoga, to be on hand to greet the delegates to-morrow's convention. Senator Hill met his guests apparently by previous appointment. A long conference ensued between the leaders at his home. The discussion was, of course, mainly on the state platform to be adopted and the fight to be made for honest money at Chicago. It is understood that the four delegates-at-large to the Chicago convention have been decided upon. Senators Hill and Murphy, ex-Gov. Roswell P. Flower and Frederick R. Coudert of New York city are the names settled upon. Mr. Whitney reiterated his desire not to go as a delegate, and Mr. Coudert was practically decided upon as the fourth delegate-at-large last evening. It is well known that Senator Murphy, although he will be elected a delegate-at-large, does not intend to go to Chicago. As alternate to Senator Murphy two names are mentioned as probabilities, ex-postmaster-general Wilson S. Bissell of Buffalo and ex-mayor William R. Grace of New York. If Mr. Coudert is put on as a delegate, Mr. Bissell rather than Mr. Grace will probably be selected for Senator Murphy's alternate, both Mr. Coudert and Mr. Grace coming from New York city. Hon. John Boyd Thacher, mayor of Albany, will be temporary chairman of the convention and it is settled that the temporary organization shall be made permanent. Mr. Thacher's speech will be brief and the session of the convention itself it is expected will only last until evening of Wednesday. Senator McCurren of Brooklyn and a few other prominent delegates came in by the evening trains last night and stopped over in Albany for the night. Ex-Gov. Flower will pass through from New York city to Saratoga to-day. The financial plank of the platform will follow the lines laid down in previous state platforms and declare for the gold standard. Bimetallism will only be recognized through an international agreement.

Democrats Arriving at Saratoga.

Saratoga, N. Y., June 23.—Only a handfull of delegates to to-morrow's democratic convention had arrived this morning, but by to-night the town will probably be crowded. Ex-Mayor Gilroy, Francis M. Scott and one or two others from New York city are here. Henry D. Purroy has been here since Sunday. The convention hall is in order, the hotels have wide open doors and the town is ready to receive any number of democratic statesmen and wire pullers. The only regret of the townspeople and hotel proprietors is that there is little prospect of more than one day's session of the convention.

Can't Inspect Vanderbilt's Books.

New York, June 23.—Justice Pryor of the supreme court has handed down a decision denying the motion of William H. Brown of Chicago to be permitted to inspect the books of the late Commodore Vanderbilt. Brown is a member of the Chicago board of trade. He desired to see the books preparatory to bringing suit against the Vanderbilt estate for $2,000,000.

Distribution of Armenian Relief.

Washington, June 23.—About the mode of distribution in Turkey of the money collected abroad, the Turkish legation has received from the sublime porte the following dispatch under date of the 6th inst: "The subscriptions collected for the people of Anatolia are distributed by the delegates of the relief committee in the presence of one member of the local commission."

To Be Dined by the Queen.

London, June 23.—Sir Donald Smith, the Canadian High commissioner in London and Sir Mackenzie Bowell, the former premier of Canada, and delegates from the Montreal chamber of commerce to the recent congress of the chambers of commerce of the British empire will dine at Windsor castle soon after the queen's return here from Scotland.

Capital Stock Increased $8,000,000.

New York, June 23.—At a meeting of the American Telephone & Telegraph company stockholders it was voted to ratify the resolution of the board of directors recently adopted to add $8,000,000 to the capital stock. The capital stock was $12,000,000, and now it is made $20,000,000.

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WITH A BARREL OF OYSTERS.

How a Great Russian Banker Bought His Freedom from Serfdom.

One of the best-known banking houses of St. Petersburg, and the one to which most American visitors to Russia carry letters of credit is that of Messrs. Shalounine & Sons, the founder of which, father of the present head of the firm, owed his liberation from serfdom 15 years before the decree of emancipation to a barrel of oysters. Old Shalounine was a serf belonging to Count Sheremetieff, one of the wealthiest nobles in Russia. He had frequently entreated the count to grant him his freedom, offering him as much as $500,000 for the boon. But money was no object to the count, and it gratified his pride to feel that one of the leading bankers of the empire was one of his serfs, unable to marry either his sons or his daughters without his master's consent. Moreover, a serf, the banker was liable to have his money seized and confiscated at any moment by the count, since everything that belonged to a serf, including his wife, children and property, belonged ipso facto to his master.

One day Shalounine, who had just that very morning returned to the capital from Odessa, called at the Sheremetieff palace for the purpose of reporting his arrival, as in duty bound, to his owner. He had brought with him a barrel of delicious Crimean oysters for presentation to the count, but left them in his carriage at the palace door until he should have obtained his master's intimation that the gift was acceptable.

On entering the presence of the count the banker found him surrounded by a party of guests and engaged in berating the chief butler for neglecting to provide oysters for the breakfast to which they were about to sit down. The butler was explaining to the count that there were no oysters to be got in the capital at that moment for love or money. Catching sight of the serf-banker, the count exclaimed:

"Oh, it is thou again; thou art come to pester me once more for thy liberation! Thou knowest that it is useless I should not know what to do with thy money. But stay, I will tell thee something. Get me some oysters for my breakfast and thou shalt have thy freedom!"

Shalounine bowed low, left the room, fetched the small barrel of oysters which he had left in his carriage at the door, and laid it at the feet of his master.

As soon as the barrel had been opened, the count called for a pen and paper, wrote out a declaration emancipating both the banker and his family from serfdom, and then bowing courteously to the man who but a moment before had been his slave, exclaimed: "And now, my dear Mr. Shalounine—will you give us the pleasure of your company at breakfast?"—N. Y. Tribune.

FOR THE GENERAL GOOD.

A Suggestion as to Some Productive Public Uses of Wealth.

There are a number of kinds of businesses capable of returning a small profit, but in which the chances of gain, though not absent, are too limited to attract private speculators, careful only of their personal interest, which might be undertaken by wealthy men satisfied to put out a part of their revenues for low interest. An investigation made about 15 years ago by the Industrial Society of Upper Alsace brought to light several enterprises of this character, inspired by a philanthropic feeling, and yet giving a modest indemnification for the capital invested in them. Among these are societies of popular credit, of which Schulze-Delitsch and Raiffeisen have described admirable types, consumers' cooperative societies, workingmen's insurance under a variety of forms, baths and lavatories for workingmen or for the small middle class, workingmen's lodgings, cheap dining houses and other establishments of similar character. All these organizations that concern the people are usually despised by professional speculators and by capitalists.

Wealthy men might well apply a part of their disposable revenues to enterprises of this sort, not as alms, but on the score of general utility; and there would be no impropriety in their deriving a modest interest from them. Many organizations of this kind have been formed during the past quarter of a century in England, the United States and France, and have demonstrated the applicability of the method. Associations formed for such objects should rigorously maintain the self-supporting principle, or aim to pay their own way.—Paul Leroy Beaulieu in Appletons' Popular Science Monthly.

A New Life-Saving Buoy.

The adoption by the United States navy of the illuminating life-saving buoy marks the advance in details that is going on rapidly in the perfecting of various minor devices in practical navigation. "Man overboard!" is a cry that will have fewer terrors hereafter. This illuminated buoy is so arranged that as it is released two bright lights, about two feet high, are ignited, and remain burning for a long time. It has one distinct advantage: It will enable the man overboard and the boat crew endeavoring to find him in the darkness to determine the whereabouts of each other more readily. With one of these buoys burning on the water, both the men swimming in the ocean and the crew trying to rescue him will seek a common object. Many a man has been lost in the darkness because the rescuing crew did not know where to look for him, or because he could not see the buoy, which was possibly floating near him.—Harper's Weekly.

Blood Will Tell.

Mrs. May-Fair—Oh, yes; I am told that he belongs to one of the first families in the country.

Mrs. Malaprop—You can see that. He has such an aboriginal look.—N. Y. Mercury.

FOR A GOOD LAWN.

Four Essentials to Establish One and Insure Its Permanence.

This is the season when we are often asked how to establish a good lawn and insure its permanence. Downing names three essential requisites: 1. Deep soil. 2. Proper kinds of grass. 3. Frequent mowing. For this climate I would add a fourth—that is, plenty of water.

If the subsoil is hard and tenacious it should be well underdrained and trenched, or subsoiled to a depth of 10 or 18 inches, so as to create a reservoir for holding moisture which may be drawn upon by the plants as needed during the dry times. This matter of subsoiling does not receive the attention it deserves in our climate. Many persons seem to think that if the surface soil is in good condition nothing further is needed. Such persons should bear in mind that it is a deep soil only which will furnish moisture for grass roots through continued drought, so that the lawn will remain green during the entire summer and autumn.

Again, too much attention cannot be given to the preparation of the soil before the seed is sown. It should be plowed and replowed, cultivated, harrowed and rolled until the whole is thoroughly pulverized and mixed to a depth of ten inches. This work should be done in the fall, and then the plot should be left to settle all winter before the seed is sown. The foundation will then be firm. This not only makes a compact bed which the tender grass roots need, but it will insure the lawn against those little knolls and hollows which are so objectionable in appearance and do so much to obstruct the use of the mower.

Only two kinds of grass are really worthy of consideration for this climate. These are the Kentucky blue grass (poa pratensis) and red top (agrostis vulgaris). There are a few others, such as Rhode Island bent grass, a finer kind of agrostis, which may be sown, but it is more expensive and little superior to a good strain of red top. A little sweet vernal grass or white clover may be added, but neither is essential. The coarser grasses, such as timothy, orchard grass or meadow fescul, should never be sown in a lawn. They are short-lived and too coarse and stiff to make a soft, velvety carpet. There are many lawn mixtures advertised and sold at high prices; some of them are good and will make excellent lawns, but, if analyzed, the best of them will be found to consist mainly of blue grass and red top, which may be bought in the market for from $1.50 to $2.50 a bushel.

To seed properly, from two to three bushels will be required to the acre, owing in some measure to the amount of chaff mixed with the seed. This should be sown as early in the spring as possible, so that the young plants may become well established before the hot, dry weather of midsummer. The sowing of oats with the seed has been recommended as a protection to the young grass plants, but I have never yet found that a strong, grass-feeding plant like the oat would furnish protection to a delicate, slow-growing one. On the contrary, the so-called protector will rob the weaker plant of its nourishment. Red top germinates much more quickly than blue grass, and will furnish all the protection necessary besides covering the surface with a green coat almost as quickly as oats will. After the blue grass gets its root well established in deep, rich soil it will need no further protection, but will assume entire control in a very short time.

The third essential is early and frequent mowing. If the grass is allowed to get too large before being cut the stubble will be too stiff, and we lose that soft, velvety character which is only produced by frequent mowing.

Water must be kept in constant supply to feed the grass. The deep-soil preparation will help to do this, but he is fortunate who can draw on some reservoir for occasional irrigation. Where water is always abundant less care need be given to fertilization, otherwise it will be well to top dress the lawn early every spring with 30 or 40 bushels of unleached ashes and 300 or 400 pounds of bone meal or superphosphate to the acre. This will keep the grass in thriving condition. Barn manure is too unsightly, and should not be used except in localities where snow covers the ground all winter, and then it should be raked off as early as possible in the spring. By following out the suggestions given here in providing the four essentials we may have as fine lawns in this country as they do in England; lawns which will last a lifetime and be a continual source of pleasure to all who see them.—Garden and Forest.

New Table Linen.

Round and oblong cloths with circular borders come in various sizes for dining tables so shaped. Floral designs predominate largely in these, the clover leaf, pansy and chrysanthemum taking the lead as the favorites. The handsomest ones, however, are of plain linen, known as butcher's linen, these being decorated by a three-inch insertion of renaissance lace and a hemstitched strip and edging corresponding in design with the lace. Others are tastefully decorated with bands of Cluny lace in linen, alternating in Mexican drawn work in fanciful design.—St. Louis Republic.

Potato Dice.

Peel and cut into dice three medium-sized new potatoes; throw them into water as you cut them. Put into a frying pan a pint of water, over it place a perforated tin plate, and on this arrange a doily; drain the potatoes, and when the water boils place the potatoes on the cloth, sprinkle a little salt over them, cover and steam rapidly 12 minutes; when done, put them in a hot dish, add some good butter and serve. They may be cooked in a chafing dish instead of over the range.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

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Sizes 4 to 14 from 48c upward. Children's Duck Suits and Shirt Waists, sizes 4 to 14, at prices that will speak for themselves. Children's Reefers, from 2 to 14, 98c up. Our stock of Capes, Jackets, Cloth and Duck Suits for ladies, will be sold at equally low prices.

M. KATZINGER.

P. S.—Separate Skirts from $1.48 up.

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Money left with the First National Bank of Middletown, on certificates of deposit for three (3) months, will draw interest at the rate of three (3) per cent. per annum.

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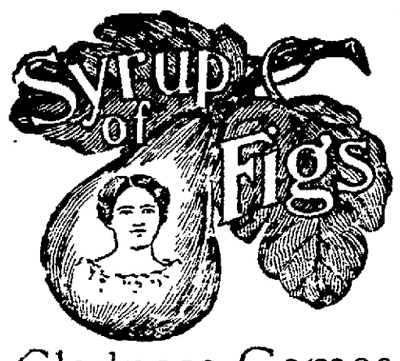
Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.



Gladness Comes

With a better understanding of the transient nature of the many [illegible] real ills, which vanish before proper efforts—gentle efforts—pleasant [illegible] rightly directed. There [illegible] the knowledge, that [illegible] sickness are not [illegible] ease, but simply [illegible] condition of the system [illegible] family laxative [illegible] ly removes. [illegible] only remedy with [illegible] and is everywhere [illegible] all who value good health, beneficial effects are due to [illegible] it is the one remedy which [illegible] internal cleanliness without debilitating the organs on which it acts. It is to, before all importunes, in order to [illegible] its beneficial effects, to note whether you purchase, that you have the genuine article, which is manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co. only and sold by all reputable druggists.

If in the enjoyment of good health, and the system is regular, laxatives or other remedies are then not needed. If afflicted with any actual disease, one may be commended to the most skillful physicians, but if in need of a laxative, one should have the best, and with the well-informed everywhere, Syrup of Figs stands highest and is most largely used and gives most general satisfaction.

THIS SPACE

BELONGS TO

The Casino Theatre Co.

L. A. Wooster, a prominent citizen, of Osseo, Mich., after suffering excruciatingly from piles for twenty years, was cured in a short time by using DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve, an absolute cure for all skin diseases. More of this preparation is used than all others combined. W. D. Olney.

ALLIGATORS ARE COWARDLY.

They Will Not Attack Anything That Shows Fight.

"The cowardice of alligators is well known by the people who reside along the bayous which were at one time frequented by the saurians," said a gentleman from southwestern Louisiana. "A great many persons who only know of the alligator by reputation swallow without a qualm the stories which are so often told about the hairbreadth escapes and remarkable adventures with these reptiles. The truth is that they do not possess sufficient courage (the alligators, I mean) to attack a mouse, unless it was chained to the bank and couldn't show fight. I remember crossing a stream in the Vermilion country a number of years before the craze for alligator hides had struck the country. I entered a skiff, and when about half way over, my dog, which I had forgotten, came bounding after me, and leaping into the water, began to swim across after the boat. Almost immediately several alligators lying with the tips of their noses above the surface began to move after the dog, and soon came within a few feet of the animal. He realized that he was being chased, and proceeded to turn the tables by chasing them. He barked and turned to make for the 'gators, but they got out of his way. Well, the dog and the saurians kept this performance up until the former had crossed the stream. The alligators seemed to be afraid to come within biting distance, although it would have been impossible for the dog to have injured them. I have frequently swam after an alligator myself, and he would invariably turn tail and get out of sight in a hurry. Courage—they have no more than a rat."—N. O. Times-Democrat.

Mutation.

"I was asked yesterday," said Brown, the ladies' hairdresser, "how a girl's hair, which is now called 'red' by the young men, could be changed in color. Get rich," said I, "and everybody will then call it 'golden.'"—To Date.

A Good Excuse.

Louise—Harry, I hate to ask you, but tell me, do you snore in your sleep?

Harry—Sometimes, darling; you know an active business man doesn't get time to snore when he's awake.—Tit-Bits.

INVESTIGATE THIS.

Its at Home—Right Here in Middletown—Everybody Can Verify it.

Mr. E. M. Hunneyville is foreman in the printing and book bindery establishment of A. E. McIntyre, No. 32 North St. He has a large circle of friends and acquaintances in our city and if any resident who does not know him doubts the truth of the following statement, Mr. Hunneywell can be interviewed personally. This is his testimony. "For a long long time I have had something wrong with my kidneys. It runs in our family for my father had the same complaint. The pain lodged in the small of my back; always became worse if I caught a cold or if I over taxed myself. Urinary trouble annoyed me particularly at night the frequency often compelling me to rise four or five times. I tried doctors prescriptions and other remedies but failed to get any relief. At last I procured a box of Doan's Kidney Pills at J. E. Mills' drug store. Now when I tell you that the benefit received was so great that I sent a box of Doan's Kidney Pills to my father who has kidney disease with positive instructions to take them, you can judge in what estimation I hold them. I can recommend Doan's Kidney Pills and you may at Liberty to refer to me."

This is a sample of the evidence that pours in daily to Doan's Kidney Pills. No use leaving Middletown for proof. Read the testimony by local and well known citizens. Not one or two or three but dozens. Doan's Kidney Pills are not a new remedy. Unfortunately for mankind the ormanlas and the ingredients were long and carefully kept a secret amongst an old Quaker family. When offered to the public first it was in a far distant country town. The fame spread, everybody who tried them recommended them to another, quantities of praise followed and the demand exceeded the supply and extensive arrangements and negotiations were entered into to place them on the market all over the world. They carry themselves without blustering or puffing—quietly, quickly and radically doing their work.

Doan's Kidney Pills are sold for 50 cents per box. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the United States. Sent by mail on receipt of price. For sale by all dealers.

Pain in the Back.

PORT JERVIS, N. Y., June 2, 1896.—"My father was very sick with typhoid fever, which left him with a severe pain in his back, and he could not walk without difficulty. He did not get better until he began taking Hood's Sarsaparilla, but this medicine has cured him, and he is now well and able to work every day."—Lela M. Johnson, 7 Jones street.

Hood's Pills are easy to take, easy to operate.

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Would not bring happiness to the person suffering with dyspepsia, but Hood's Sarsaparilla has cured many thousands of cases of this disease. It tones the stomach, regulates the bowels and puts all the machinery of the system in good working order. It creates a good appetite and gives health, strength and happiness.

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You need Hood's Sarsaparilla to enrich and purify your blood, create an appetite and give sweet, refreshing sleep.

A Dangerous Passage in the Rhone.

Below Viviers the Rhone breaks out from its broad upper valley into its broader lower valley through the defile of Donzere. Here the foot hills of the Alps and the foot hills of the Cevennes come together, and behind this natural dam there must have been anciently a great lake which extended to the northward of where now is Valence. The defile is a veritable cañon that would be quite in place in Sierra Madre. On each side of the sharply narrow river the walls of rock rise to a sheer height of 200 feet. The rush of the water is tumultuous. In midstream, surrounded by eddies and whirling waves, is the Roche des Angalais, against which the boat of a luckless party of travelers struck and was shattered a hundred years ago. Indeed, so dangerous was this passage held to be of old, when faith was stronger and boats were weaker than in our day of skepticism and compound engines, that it was customary to tie up at the head of the defile and pray for grace to come through it safely; but nowadays (with the same practical result) they put extra men at the tiller and clap on more steam.—Thomas Janvier, in Century.

Largest Kitchen in the World.

The largest kitchen in the world is in that great Parisian store, the Bon Marche, which has 4,000 employes. The smallest kettle contains 100 quarts and the largest 500. Each of 50 roasting pans is big enough for 300 cutlets. Every dish for baking potatoes holds 225 pounds. When omelets are on the bill of fare 7,800 eggs are used at once. For cooking alone 60 cooks and 100 assistants are always at the ranges.

Salvation Army Cavalry Corps.

Brigadier William Evans, of Philadelphia, commander of the Atlantic coast division of the Salvation Army, proposes to organize a cavalry company of Salvationists. They will be well mounted and armed with musical instrumenrs, and will visit all parts of the territory under the brigadier's command. The corps will be under the command of Staff Capt. Blanche Cox.

Cyclone Cave in Iowa.

School directors in the district of Duverne, Ia., have ordered a cyclone cave built at each of the schoolhouses in the district.

The Dodge Laughed Last.

A funny story is going the rounds, in which the chief actors were one of the judges of the high court and a well-known barrister. During the hearing of a case the judge left his seat to look for a law book, and for a few minutes was hidden by the screen. Just as he disappeared from view the barrister hurried into court, and seeing the vacant chair, remarked in a loud tone, with characteristic testiness:

"What—is the old fool gone to luncheon?"

To his chagrin, the judge popped his head round the screen, and with a smile that was childlike and bland, replied:

"No—he has not gone yet!"—London Tit Bits.

Col. Cole Leaves for Ellersie.

Albany, June 17.—Col. Ashley Cole, Gov. Morton's private secretary, has gone to Ellersie, where the governor is staying. The colonel is not expected to return to Albany until after the St. Louis convention.

Rutgers Commencement Exercises Closed.

New Brunswick N. J., June 17.—The 120th annual commencement of Rutgers college took place last evening, bringing to a close the exercises and festivities of a most delightful week.

Severe Disease.

Miss Jinks—Oh, you must see the photographs I had taken at Camera & Co.'s. They're splendid.

Miss Winks—I knew they'd be good. Camera & Co. have the finest retoucher in the city.—N. Y. Weekly.

A Deception Easily Practised

is the offer of a reward for "any case of catarrh not cured" by certain "cures" or "blood medicines." Nothing is said regarding the number of bottles required, and therein lies the deception. The makers of Ely's Cream Balm, have never resorted to such devices. Cream Balm is an elegant preparation, agreeable to use, and immediate in its beneficial results. It cures catarrh. You can rely upon the fact that it contains no mercury nor other injurious drug. 50 cts.

Cure all forms of nervousness, nervous prostration and all the symptoms of nervous exhaustion, such as depressed spirits, peevishness, irritability, general sensitiveness of the whole nervous system, failure of memory, inability to concentrate the thoughts, morbid fears, restless and sleepless nights, pains in the head, noises in the ears and dizziness. It stimulates and strengthens the nerves and acts as a strong tonic. Price 25 cents.

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Consumption is now known to be curable if taken in time—the German remedy known as Otto's Cure, having been found to be an almost certain cure for the disease. Asthma, Bronchitis, Croup, Coughs, Colds, Pneumonia, and all throat and lung diseases are quickly cured by Dr. Otto's Great German Remedy. Sample bottles of Otto's Cure are being given away by our agent, J. J. Chambers, 57 North street, near Post Office. Large bottles 50 and 25c.

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Thrives on good food and sunshine, with plenty of exercise in the open air. Her form glows with health and her face blooms with its beauty. If her system needs the cleansing action of a laxative remedy, she uses the gentle and pleasant Syrup of Figs. Made by the California Fig Syrup Company.

The Law and the Lady.

Patient Man—Suppose a woman makes it so hot for her husband that he can't live with her, and he leaves her, what can he do?

Lawyer—Sue him for support.

Patient Man—Suppose she has run him so heavily into debt that he can't support her, because his creditors grab every dollar as quick as he gets it, besides ruining his business with their suits?

Lawyer—If for any reason whatever he fail to pay her the amount ordered, he will be sent to jail for contempt of court.

Patient Man—Suppose she drives him out of the house with a flat-iron, and he's afraid to go back?

Lawyer—She can arrest him for desertion.

Patient Man—Well, I don't see anything for me to do but go hang myself.

Lawyer—It's against the law to commit suicide, and if you get caught attempting it, you'll be fined and imprisoned. Ten dollars, please. Good day.—N. Y. Weekly.

Infant Curiosity.

A careful mother had impressed upon her little boy the necessity of ejecting the skins of grapes, and a few days afterwards she told him the story of Jonah and the whale.

"The whale is a very large monster," said the mother, "and he swallowed Jonah."

"Did he swallow other men, too?" asked the little boy.

"Well, I suppose he did," continued the mother, who was somewhat in doubt; and while she was hesitating about the continuation of the story, the boy interrupted:

"And, mamma, did he spit the skins out, too?"—Texas Sifter.

Not To Recognize Bunker Hill Day.

Boston, June 12.—The Boston stock exchange will not be closed this year on June 17, Bunker Hill day, as heretofore.

Creates

✲ Strength,

makes new blood, builds new flesh tissue, does Bovinine, that most powerful condensation into the smallest possible bulk of the vital elements of lean, raw beef. Prepared by a special cold process that precludes the waste of any of the desired elements of a complete health-maintaining food. Charles M. Murphy, the well-known champion bicyclist writes concerning

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"You have undoubtedly seen by the papers that I have been winning a great deal; it may be Bovinine, however. I have used it continually and find it a great stimulant, with none of the bad after effects that attend the use of alcohol." Bovinine is used wherever it is necessary to maintain strength and life, with the happiest results in every instance.

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Boys Can Have Their Coffee Now.

When a good healthy boy sits down to his breakfast and sees Pa and Ma have their coffee to dip toast in and sip, he feels slighted that he can't have some too. But parents know that it is really poisonous to children and refuse them. Postum the grain coffee made by Postum Cereal Co. Ltd., Battle Creek, Mich., is exactly like coffee in looks and yet it is made of the health grains and is nourishing and fattening. Boys and girls can drink it every meal if they like. It is simply food of the most nourishing sort, but so prepared that it fills the eye of even a careful expert.

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SUPREME Court State of New York—Joshua C. Hawkins, plaintiff, vs. Hillside Cemetery Association.

In pursuance to an order duly made by Hon. William D. Dickey, one of the Justices of this court, at a Special Term thereof, and entered in the office of the Clerk of Orange county, on the 16th day of March, 1896, in the above entitled action, notice is hereby given to all the creditors of the Hillside Cemetery Association to exhibit and prove their claims, according to law, to the said receiver, Charles C. Luckey, at his office, No. 9 North street, in the city of Middletown, Orange county, New York, on or before the 20th day of September, 1896, and thereby make themselves parties to this action.

It is further provided as and by said order, that the creditors of the said corporation who may default in so doing, shall be precluded from all benefit of the judgment to be entered herein, and from any distribution to be made hereunder.

Dated March 16th, 1896.

CHARLES C. LUCKEY, Receiver of Hillside Cemetery Association, office and postoffice address No. 9 North street, Middletown, N. Y.

JOHN L. WIGGINS, Counsel for Receiver, No. 9 North street, Middletown, N. Y. d1 mnSep15

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IN Pursuance of an order of the Surrogate of the county of Orange, notice is hereby given, according to law, to all persons having claims against the estate of Horatio N. Case, late of the town of Wawayanda, in said county, deceased, that they are required to present the same, with the proper vouchers thereof, to the subscribers, the executors of the last will and testament of said deceased, at their respective places of residence, in the towns of Wallkill and Wawayanda, on or before the 1st day of September next.

CHARLES H. HARFORD,
JONATHAN DECKER, } Executors.
FREDERICK G. WICKHAM,

Dated February 15th, 1896. wTuSmAug2

IN Pursuance of an order of the Surrogate of the county of Orange, notice is hereby given, according to law, to all persons having claims against the estate of William S. Hull, late of the town of Wawayanda, in said county, deceased, that they are required to present the same, with the proper vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, the administratrix of all and singular the goods, chattels and credits of said deceased, at her place of residence, in the town of Wawayanda, on or before the 2d day of November next.

Dated April 30th, 1896.

HANNAH C. HULL, Administratrix.

GEO. H. DECKER, Attorney for Administratrix, Middletown, N. Y. wFrmOct30

AT a Special Term of the Supreme Court of the State of New York held at the Supreme Court Chambers, in the city of Newburgh, in the county of Orange, N. Y., on the 2d day of May, 1896. Present, Hon. W. D. Dickey Justice

N. Y. Supreme Court, county of Orange. In the matter of the petition of Mortimer C. Ogden to have the record of a mortgage reformed and said mortgage discharged of record

On reading and filing the petition of Mortimer C. Ogden verified on the 30th day of April, 1896 praying that a mortgage executed by Cornelia M. Ogden and Henry B. Ogden, her husband, to Augustus Thompson dated the 30th day of April, 1858, and recorded in the office of the Clerk of the county of Orange, on the 1st day of May, 1858, in Liber No. 191 of mortgages at page 131, upon premises situate in the village of Middletown, in the said county of Orange, which appears on the record to have been given to one Augustus Crawford, that said record may be reformed by striking that from the name of Augustus Crawford and substituting therefor the name of Augustus Thompson as mortgagee, and that said mortgage may be discharged of record.

On motion of O. E. Seward, attorney for the said petitioner, it is ordered that all persons interested show cause at a Special Term of this court, to be held at the Supreme Court Chambers in the city of Newburgh, Orange county, N. Y., on the 18th day of July, 1896 at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, why the said record of said mortgage should not be reformed by striking them from the name of Augustus Crawford as mortgagee and substituting therefor the name of Augustus Thompson and why the said mortgage should not be discharged of record.

It is further ordered that this order be published in the Middletown Mercury a newspaper published in the county of Orange N. Y., once in each week for six weeks successively, and that a copy of this order be served personally on Alexander Thompson as the sole surviving administrator of the goods chattels and credits of Augustus Thompson, deceased, at least 20 days before the day herein before appointed for showing cause.

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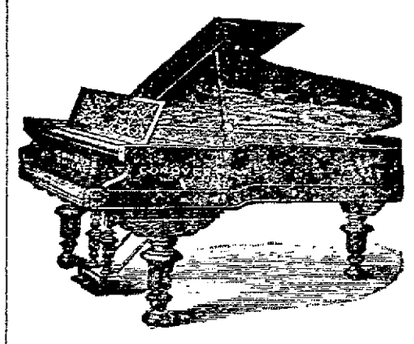

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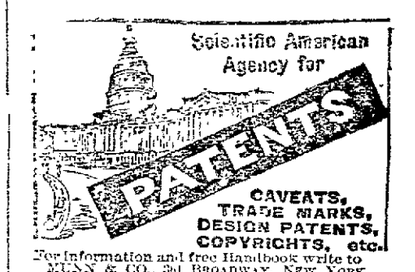

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TUESDAY, JUNE 23, 1896.

DEMOCRATIC STATE CONVENTION.

May 15th, 1896.

The Democratic Electors of the several Assembly Districts of the State of New York are requested to send three delegates from each of the said districts to attend a State Convention, to be held at Saratoga, on the 24th day of June, 1896, at 12 m., for the purpose of selecting the number of delegates to which the State of New York is entitled in the National Democratic Convention, to be held at Chicago, on the 7th day of July next.

J. W. KINKLEY, Chairman.
JOHN CUNNEEN, Secretary.

The first official act of Mark Hanna, as Chairman of the Republican National Committee, was to bring his party to grass,—l'ampas grass.

There are forty-seven special excise agents to be appointed, and 729 applicants for the places will take the civil service examination tomorrow.

The Newburgh *News* quotes Ben. Odell, who got home from St. Louis, Saturday, as saying that he is "delighted" with the convention and its work. The parrot, after its historic interview with the monkey, expressed a similar idea in slightly different language.

General Master Workman Sovereign, of the Knights of Labor, after a long period of refreshing silence, breaks out with the announcement that he will support Teller for President, and advises organized labor to follow his example. Mr. Sovereign says that if McKinley is elected Hanna will be President, and that Hanna is the vindictive foe of organized labor,—"an industrial cannibal."

Ex-Gov. Russell, of Massachusetts, is going to Chicago, not as a candidate for Presidential honors, but as a loyal Democrat to fight for honest money. Perry Belmont and ex-Secretary Fairchild are coming home from Europe to attend the convention and do what they can to keep their party from straying from the path of financial honor. Other Democrats of prominence and influence are announcing their purpose to attend the convention to aid the honest money cause. This is as it should be. The struggle will be a hard one and free silver cannot be beaten unless every sound money Democrat does his full duty to his party.

Mr. Whitney, who will be the recognized leader of the sound money cause at Chicago, has already determined on his plan of campaign. There will be no denunciation of the free silverites as knaves and lunatics,—nothing that will stir up strife and bitterness. Every effort will, however, be made by argument and by appeals to reason and to party loyalty to convince the delegates from the Southern and Middle Western States that party success is not to be won, nor general prosperity assured, by abandoning the financial faith to which Democracy has always been loyal, and adopting the creed of those whom interes or prejudice has blinded to everything but silver.

CRYSTAL RUN.

A Milk Wagon Upset—Laying in Feed—Started a Milk Route.

Correspondence ARGUS and MERCURY.

—Samuel Brown while bringing milk to the creamery, Sunday, was thrown from his wagon by his horse becoming frightened and throwing itself, upsetting the wagon and damaging it considerably. Fortunately Mr. Brown escaped injury and so did the horse, but the milk which was in the wagon was spilled.

—Chas. H. Martine is slowly improving.

—Our wide awake farmers are putting their feed in by the carload as a small crop of hay is looked for.

—A. C. Ireland spent Sunday with his family.

—Noah Stage has started a milk route in Middletown.

—Andrew Craus has started haying, thus spoiling our strawberry patch.

PINE BUSH.

The Juniors Defeat the Dwaarkills—Improvements.

Correspondence ARGUS and MERCURY.

—The Pine Bush Juniors and the Dwaarkill Senior baseball team played Saturday. At the end of the game the score stood 11 and 18 in favor of the Juniors of Pine Bush.

—Mr. C. W. Maney, who has been on the sick list for a few weeks past is on the gain.

—Mr. Henry Hoen, of Dwaarkill, is building an addition to his house. Daniel Taylor and his gang of workmen are doing the work.

WOLF PIT.

A New Teacher Engaged—Personal Notes.

Correspondence ARGUS and MERCURY.

—John E. Farley started, Monday, for Walden, N. Y., where he will spend a few days visiting friends.

—Miss Preston has been engaged to teach the Wolf Pit school for the coming year, the former teacher, Miss Sally Farley, having resigned.

—Benj. Hait and son, Walter, attended the reunion at the Vaughn Gold-Cure Sanitarium, near Deckertown, on Wednesday of last week.

LATEST BY TELEGRAPH

TRANSVAAL RAIDERS INDICTED.

BY UNITED PRESS.

LONDON, June 23.—The Grand Jury, today, returned a true bill against Jamison and his fellow officers in the Transvaal raid for violating the foreign enlistment act.

WRECKED ON THE NEWFOUNDLAND COAST.

BY UNITED PRESS.

HALIFAX, June 23.—The British steamer Capulet, hence for Liverpool, stranded on the coast of Newfoundland and became a wreck. The passengers and crew were saved.

Determined to Die.

John Keating, of West Haverstraw, who had attempted suicide by first drinking turpentine and then cutting his throat, died on a West Shore train near Cornwall, yesterday, while on the way to St. Luke's Hospital in Newburgh.

UNIONVILLE.

Successful Sociable — Children's Day Services—The New Silk Mill—Death of a Child—Bicycle Trips.

Correspondence ARGUS and MERCURY.

—The sociable at the house of Mrs. M. S. Hayne, Friday evening, was a success both socially and financially.

—Children's Day services were held at the Presbyterian Church, on Sunday morning, and at the M. E. Church in the evening. The exercises were well worth hearing and both churches were crowded.

—Next Sunday the Presbyterian pulpit will be occupied by Rev. Mr. Huntington, of Hackensack.

—Work is progressing on Will Lain's new house on High street.

—The new silk mill is to be opened before July 1st.

—Mrs. S. F. Hough is so far recovered from a severe attack of the measles as to be around again.

—We are grieved to hear of the death of Vivian, only child of Milton Terry, formerly of this place, now of Springfield, Ark.

—We are the proud possessor of one of the first copies of the Unionville *Times*. It is a well edited paper and we wish the proprietors success.

—Howard Tuthill, Austin Van Sickle, F. Van Sickle and J. Culverwell went to Port Jervis and Milford on their wheels, Sunday afternoon.

—Wednesday of this week Howard Tuthill and Fred Van Sickle start for a bicycle ride to New York city, going by way of Newburgh and Poughkeepsie.

—The familiar face of Miller Timbrel was noticed among our congregation, Sunday night.

BIRTHS.

COBURG—In this city, June 22d, '96, to Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Coburg, a daughter.

DIED.

HULL—At Waldwick, N. Y., June 22d, '96, Daniel Hull, aged sixty-one years, ten months, nineteen days.

Funeral Thursday, from the residence of Whitfield Thompson, No. 24 Genung street, this city, at eleven o'clock. Interment in Hillside Cemetery.

Port Jervis papers please copy.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE REPORT

JAS. P. TIGHE, Commission Broker, Stern Building, 16 North street, Middletown, N. Y. Stocks, Bonds, Grain and Provisions bought and sold for cash or carried on margin.

NEW YORK, June 23, '96.

	Yesterday Close	To-day Close
Sugar	119¼	116¾
A. T. & S. F.	14	14
C. B. & Q.	77⅝	76½
Chicago Gas	67	66½
D. L. & W.	161¾	—
Dis. & Cat. F.	15⅝	15⅝
Erie	14⅝	—
General Electric	31⅜	29½
L. & N.	49⅝	49½
L. S.	—	—
M. P.	22½	22¾
N. Y. & N. E.	—	—
N. Y. C.	96½	—
N. W.	102¾	102
Susquehanna & Western	—	—
Susquehanna & West. pref.	24½	24
O. & W.	13⅜	14
Manhattan	102¾	103¾
Southern R'y	9¼	9
P. & R.	14⅝	15
R. I.	69	68⅝
C. M. & St. P.	76¾	76¾
U. P.	7⅛	7¼
W. Union	84⅞	84¾
Nat. Lead	24½	23½
July Wheat	56½	56⅝
July Corn	27¾	27⅝
July Oats	16⅞	16½
July Pork	$6 97	$7 02
July Lard	4 05	4 05

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A Teacher Goes Home—Children's Day. Personal Notes.

Correspondence ARGUS AND MERCURY.

—Miss Bertha Gillespie, who has been teaching in our school the past season, returned to her home at Bethel. We hope Miss Gillespie will return again to the school after vacation, as she was loved by all the scholars and others that met her.

—Mr. Eugene Masterson and Miss Percie Morris, of Montgomery, spent Sunday with G. W. Comfort.

—Mr. George Sherer, of Jersey City, spent Sunday in town.

—Children's Day was observed, Sunday morning, in the Reformed Church. The church was beautifully decorated and trimmed for the occasion with flowers, flags and birds. There was a large congregation, many having to take seats in the gallery. The exercises, which were rather long, were successfully carried out, much being due to the training the little ones had received from Miss Beakes.

—Messrs. G. M. Low and Robert Beakes rode to Monticello and returned Saturday.

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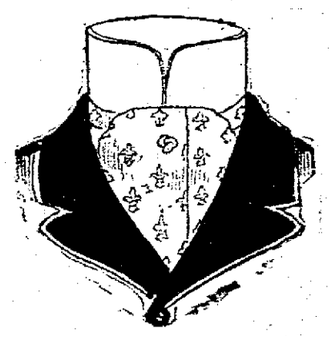

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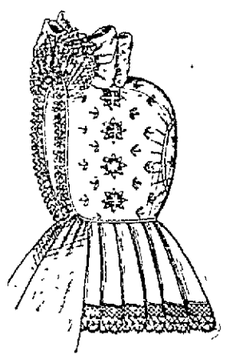

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DAILY ARGUS.

TUESDAY, JUNE 23, 1896.

OPEN EVENINGS.

THE BUSINESS OFFICE OF THE "ARGUS" IS OPEN EVENINGS FROM SEVEN UNTIL EIGHT O'CLOCK.

THE TEMPERATURE.

The following was the registry of the thermometer at Pronk's drug store, to-day:
7 a. m., 64°; 12 m., 76°; 3 p. m., 78°.

WEATHER INDICATIONS

BY UNITED PRESS.

WASHINGTON, June 23.—Fair, to-night; partly cloudy weather, Wednesday; northerly winds.

AMUSEMENT AND RECREATION.

—June 22-27—Lawrence and wife, illustrated shooters, at Midway Park.
—June 25—O. and W. excursion to New York, via Cornwall and steamer Mary Powell
—June 26—Wallkill Academy commencement.
—June 26—Red Men's picnic, at Columbia Park.
—June 29-July 4—DeVan, at Midway Park.
—July 6-11—Troupe of Trained Pigs, at Midway Park.
—July 13-18—Delforello & Gliasondo, at Midway Park.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

—Opening of Columbia Park Thursday.
—New potatoes 20c a peck at J. W. Stout's
—Cheviot suits $3.98 at Morris B. Wolf's.
—Spring lamb at Greening Bros'
—Lots for sale by Chas. Z. Taylor
—Fireworks at Dreyton & Son's.
—Presents for commencement at Millspaugh's.
—American made goods at Economy Store
—Doctor yourself with Munyon's Remedies.
—Borden's condensed milk sold by all dealers
—Watches given away with Mail Pouch
—Postum Cereal for sale by grocers.

LIVE LOCAL TOPICS.

—The Columbus Trust Co., of Newburgh, has declared a semi-annual dividend of three per cent.

—Newburgh Republicans celebrated McKinley's nomination, last night, and according to the *Press* there were sixty-seven men and 400 boys in the line.

The Tenth Separate Co., of Newburgh, voted, last night, to accept an invitation to participate in a Fourth of July parade in Albany.

—A "dog census" shows that there are about 1,200 dogs owned in Newburgh.

—A force of 200 men is now employed on the new Broome county jail and it is expected to have the building ready for occupancy in four months.

—The O. and W. train on which the members of Hoffman Lodge will go to Liberty, to-night, leaves at 6 o'clock instead of 6:10 as stated in last night's papers.

PERSONAL.

—Mr. and Mrs. William Kerchum, of Middletown, were visiting friends in town Saturday.—*Norwich Sun.*

—Miss Mary McLean, of this city, is spending the week with her parents in Paterson.

—State Commissioner in Lunacy Goodwin Brown paid an official visit to the State Hospital in this city, to-day.

—Miss Grace Buckley, of Trumansburgh, N. Y., is visiting her brother, Mr. C. B. Buckley, on South street.

—Wm. Keough, of Elizabeth, N. J., is visiting friends in town.

—Hon. W. H. Clark and C. Macardell, delegates to the Democratic State Convention, started for Saratoga on the Erie's 10:48 train this morning.

—Miss Mamie Doell, of this city, leaves to-night for Elmira, to attend the commencement and graduating exercises of the High School, and will be the guest of Miss Nellie Bergmuller, of Elmira, who graduates Thursday of this week.

—Mrs. M. L. Finkelmeier, of Paterson, and her daughter, Mrs. George Nichols, of Philadelphia, are visiting the former's sisters, Mrs. H. V. Wright and Mrs. Samuels.

—Thomas R. Wilson and Laura M., daughter of John Wilson, all of Montague, Sussex county, were married Saturday evening by Rev. S. W. Mills, at his residence in Port Jervis.

—Charles Frint, of East Orange, N. J., spent Sunday and Monday, in this city. He returned on his bicycle this morning.

—The friends of Mr. J. J. Hogan will be pleased to know that there is a very marked improvement in his condition.

—Friends in this locality of Mrs. Orville D. Belding, of Claremont, Va., will regret to learn that she is critically ill and her death is expected at any time. She has been in failing health for some time with stomach troubles. Her mother, Mrs. Philip Henry, of Ulstervill., and Mr. George S. Belding, of this city, started for Claremont, Friday.

Low Excurs on Rates on the Erie.

—On account of Sons of Veterans Encampment, to Waverly, for $7.70, round trip.

—On account of National Educational Association, to Buffalo, for $9.93, round trip. Tickets good going July 5th and 6th and returning July 11th—15th, with privilege of extension to July 31st.

—To New York, July 4th, for $1, round trip. Tickets good to return July 5th.

Sisterly Love in Newburgh.

Esther Brundage, a Newburgh girl, while at supper, Saturday night, got angry at her sister and struck at her with a knife, cutting her hand. Her sister caused her arrest and she was convicted of assault and sentenced to thirty days in jail.

Turf and Horse Notes.

Ed. Tompkins has sold his fast grey mare to Boston parties. Trainer Fogg started for Boston with the horse, this morning, going by way of the Erie to Newburgh.

ASYLUMS AGAIN DEFEATED.

The Cuban Giants Win Yesterday's Game by a Score of 9 to 6—Danny Kiernan Responsible for the Asylum's Defeat—The Score.

Of all the weak playing ever done by a man attired in an Asylum uniform, the exhibition given by the Goshen strengthener (?) Danny Kiernan, in yesterday's game against the Cuban X Giants, was the worst. Danny is Goshen's idol and no game is considered complete without him. He is a vigorous kicker, a good coach, and knows the points of the game better than any local player, barring "the old man," Jack Degnan.

Manager Cook placed Kiernan on second to strengthen the team. He played the position like a school boy. He had three opportunities to participate in double plays, at second base, but twice he stood still half way between first and second, admiring Morehead's playing, while a lively Giant, who should have been forced, walked to the unguarded bag. The third time he moved so slowly that he failed to complete the double. He is only credited with one error, but the loss of the game can be charged to him alone, for had he played the game which he is capable of doing, at least four of the runs scored by the colored men would not have been made. He also used poor judgment in base running and was put out twice between third and home plate.

The two "Tommies," Morehead and Murray, were warmly greeted by the crowd and both demonstrated that they have not forgotten how to play the game.

The Giants are, with several exceptions, the same old crowd of good-natured ball players. Clarence Williams, Grant and Patterson, however, are missing from the team and their substitutes do not begin to fill their shoes.

Kelly pitched a fine game, striking out eight of the heavy hitters. He fooled all three of the Jackson brothers, "Bob," the catcher, striking out twice.

Taken altogether the game was a fine exhibition and the crowd was pleased with all, but the player above noted.

The score:

CUBAN GIANTS	R	1B	PO	A	E
A. Jackson, 3 b	2	1	0	4	0
O. Jackson, l f	2	2	2	2	0
B. Jackson, c	1	2	6	0	0
Selden, p	1	2	0	3	0
Nelson, 2 b	1	1	4	5	0
Wilson, 1 b	1	1	13	0	1
Otto, s s	0	0	0	0	1
Banks, r f	0	2	2	0	0
James, r f	0	0	0	0	0
	8	11	27	14	2

ASYLUMS.	R	1B	PO	A	E
Morehead, s s	2	2	1	3	1
Lawler, c f	2	2	1	0	0
Murray, 3 b	0	1	1	2	0
Tierney, 1 b	1	2	8	0	1
Kiernan, 2 b	0	2	1	3	1
McGreevy, c	1	2	10	1	1
E. Wenzenroth, l f	0	1	1	0	0
Sullivan, r f	0	2	1	0	0
Kelly, p	0	1	0	11	0
	6	15	24	19	4

SCORE BY INNINGS.

Cuban Giants	3	0	1	1	2	0	0	2	x	—9
Asylums	0	0	3	2	1	0	0	0	0	—6

Home run, Lawler. Three base hits, Lawler, Kiernan, O. Jackson. Double play, Nelson and Wilson. Struck out, by Kelly, 8; by Selden, 1. Base on balls, off Kelly, 2; off Selden, 1. Umpire, Geo. E. Wallace.

NOTES

—The Cuban X-Giants play at Walden, to-day.

—Lawler's home run drew the usual five dollar bill from Dr. Talcott.

—A base ball deal is on whereby Turner is likely to be transferred from Philadelphia to New York. Turner is a valuable man, but has been doing most of his playing on the bench and has grown tired of it.

THIS FELLOW IS A FRAUD.

A Tramp With a Sore Arm Begging About Town—How the Arm is Kept Sore.

A tramp called at sveral houses in the eastern part of this city, yesterday, and exhibiting a very sore arm, told a very pitiful story of accident and injury and asked for money. The fellow is undoubtedly a fraud and is probably the same man who was in New Jersey, last week, and was run out of Hackensack and other villages. Physicians who examined his arm there discovered that it had been made sore by the application of irritants to the skin.

A VERY QUEER LAWSUIT.

A Westtown Man Who Thinks He Won a Desk in a Raffle.

Constable Martin, of Westtown, was in this city, yesterday, and served a summons upon L. L. Purdy in a suit brought by a Westtown man to recover a desk recently disposed of by chance by Mr Purdy's son. The man says he purchased several tickets, one of which drew the desk, but that it was awarded to another person.

The other side of the question is that the Westtown man did purchase tickets, but did not pay for them and, therefore, they were counted as blanks.

It is certainly a peculiar case and the outcome will be looked for with interest.

An Insignificant Fire.

A fire in an outbuilding on Mrs. Friend's property on Hoffman street, last evening, was extinguished by the application of a few pails of water. The damage done was trifling.

The Latest in Bicycles.

An American duplex bicycle arrived in town, to-day, for Mr. W. A. Reeder, of Academy avenue. It is a three wheel machine with two seats for two persons side by side.

Luther Lodge's Picnic.

Luther Lodge, I. O. O. F., held a picnic at Mauennerchor Park, last evening. The attendance was large and all had a good time. Berg's orchestra furnished music for dancing.

A FINE ENTERTAINMENT.

Miss Ambler's Dramatic and Pantomim'c Recital.

The dramatic and pantomimic recital given at the Assembly Rooms, last evening, by Miss Emma L. Ambler and Miss Bessie Marguerite Swartz was well attended and all present were more than pleased, being agreed that the entertainment was one of the best given in this city in a long time. The young ladies, who have but recently graduated from the New York School of Expression, showed much talent and artistic skill and give every promise of a successful public career.

Miss Ambler's rendition of "The Courtship of Miles Standish" was excellent and Miss Swartz's recital of Edward Everett Hale's pathetic story, "The Man Without a Country," was most favorably received.

Miss Swartz's pantomimic work in "The Sioux Chief's Daughter" was as clever and graceful as anything ever given in this city, and "Nearer My God to Thee," as depicted by Miss Ambler, brought forth very hearty applause.

Mrs. J. D. Powers assisted the young ladies as accompanist in a manner that added more than a little to her reputation as an accomplished pianist.

THE RAILWAY Y. M. C. A.

Plans Out for a Handsome Building to be Erected by the O. and W. Railway Company on Wickham Avenue.

Plans have been prepared and are now at the O. and W. offices in this city for a Railway Y. M. C. A. building which the O. and W. Railway Company is about to erect on the lot recently purchased by the company on Wickham avenue between D. W. Berry's residence and the Standard Hotel.

It will be a very handsome frame building, with two stories and basement, complete in all its appointments.

In the basement there will be a double bowling alley sixty feet long, three bath rooms, a shower bath, lavatories and closets.

The first floor will be divided into a reading room 28x21½ feet, a social room 18x30, two class rooms 9 ft. 6x15 ft. 3, and a Secretary's office.

On the second floor will be an assembly room 20 ft. 8 inches by 31 feet, and six bed rooms.

The O. & W., with charactistic liberality, furnishes the land, the building and the furnishings complete.

ARRESTED FOR ABDUCTION.

A Middletown Man Charged With Enticing Away a Sixteen-Year-Old Goshen Girl.

Officer Van Leuvan, of Goshen, came to this city, to-day, with a warrant for the arrest of Fred Kain on the charge of abducting from her home in Goshen a sixteen-year-old girl named Van Strander. Officer Vail arrested Kane and turned him over to Officer Van Leuven, who took him to Goshen.

The abduction is alleged to have occurred over two weeks ago. The girl was found in a house in this city by Captain Gould, last Saturday, where she was living under the name of Annie Stern. She was placed in charge of her mother who took her home.

The girl laid the entire blame for her escapade upon Kane, hence the warrant for his arrest.

A Dog That Carries Its Muzzle in Its Mouth.

Mulford Strong, a cigar maker on James street, has a dog that knows something. His master puts a muzzle on him but he knows how to get it off and manages to do so when he gets away from the house. He evidently believes, however, that a muzzle is a protection from police bullets or serves some other useful purpose for, after getting it off his head he carries it in his mouth wherever he goes and when he tires of roaming the streets takes his muzzle home with him.

IN THE JURY'S HANDS.

The Fleming Case Given to the Jury, This Afternoon.

BY UNITED PRESS.

NEW YORK, June 23.—Recorder Goff completed his charge in the case of Mrs. Fleming, who is charged with the murder of her mother, and the case was given to the jury, this afternoon.

Stocked With Black Bass.

Round Pond and Little Round Pond in Monroe have been stocked with 10,000 black bass fry from the State hatchery at Clayton. Many thousand trout and wall-eyed pike fry have also been placed in Monroe waters, this year.

Struck by a Train.

An Italian track hand was struck by Engine 434, at Suffern, this morning, and quite badly hurt. He was taken to the Paterson Hospital.

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INCIDENTS AND HAPPENINGS IN GOSHEN.

A New Lot of Children at the Home—Commencement Exercises, To-night—Held on a Charge of Burglary—Cannot Be Operated On—The Organ Recital.

From Our Regular Correspondent.

—A new party of fresh air children arrived at the Children's Home from New York, last week.

—The commencement exercises will be held in Music Hall, this evening. The graduates are: Abba May Abbott, Ira M. Hawkins, Oliver B. Tuthill, Frederick W. Whidden. The above pupils are entitled to Regents' academic diplomas. Miss Abbot is the first girl pupil to secure one of these diplomas. The other graduates are entitled to Regents' fifty count certificate. They are John M. H. Coleman, Elizabeth Hotbert, M. Lizzie Sullivan.

—Sanford Brundage, who was arrested, yesterday, charged with burglarizing the premises of Thomas Banker, had a hearing before Justice Swezey, last night. He was held under bonds of $500 to await the action of the Grand Jury, which convenes in October. On his person were a pair of cuff buttons and a pair of shirt studs, a part of the stolen property. They were returned to Mr. Banker.

—David Vreeland, who went to New York, last week, to be operated upon for the removal of a tumor from his throat, has returned to Goshen. His case has progressed so far that the operation cannot be successfully performed.

—The last of Mr. Whidden's organ recitals at the Presbyterian Church, last night, attracted a somewhat larger audience than the preceding one, including a number of Middletown ladies and gentlemen. Among the several selections was Handel's "Harmonious Blacksmith." It was particularly well and skillfully rendered and was greatly appreciated by the enthusiastic audience.

Directors of a College Society Alumni Association.

Herbert B. Boyce, of this city, and Addison C. Ormsbee, of Newburgh, are named among the directors of the "Sigma Chi Alumni Association, of Cornell," which filed articles of incorporation at Albany, yesterday.

A White Red Squirrel.

B. S. Smith, this morning, shot a white squirrel at his farm between this city and Goshen. It belongs to the species known as red squirrels, and its white coat is merely a freak of nature. It was a very pretty little animal. Bachelier will mount its skin and place it among his fine collection.

A Golden Wedding.

Mr. and Mrs. Josiah Stearns, of the town of Deerpark, celebrated their golden wedding, Saturday. A large company was present, made up of the children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren, other relatives and friends. Middletown was represented in the gathering. Among the presents was a purse of gold containing one dollar for every year of their wedded life, from the children.

A Very Quick Recovery.

Charles Ahren, of Liberty, who had both legs amputated at Thrall Hospital after having them crushed by an O. and W. train at Summitville on June 5th, has almost recovered. The wounds have entirely healed, something remarkable in so short a time

Midway Park Notes.

—Berg's full orchestra will be at Midway Park, Wednesday evening, and there will be dancing from 8:30 until 12 o'clock.

—The Lawrences' illustrated songs pleased large audiences, yesterday afternoon and evening.

Real Estate Sales.

—Gardner & McWilliams, real estate and insurance agents, have sold for Harman V. White his house and lot, No. 6 Albert street, to Policeman Timothy F. Walsh

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WORTH A SMALL FORTUNE

The Parasol of the Summer Girl Is a Very Costly Affair.

The fashionable young woman has a whole cabinet of curiosities, to say nothing of a small menagerie, on her parasol handles this spring. Enough quartz and crystal to form a geologist's collection and enough birds and beasts to start a zoological garden seem to be a necessary feature of the well regulated feminine wardrobe.

The new parasol handles easily supply this required feature. Even the gay flowered silk covers of the parasols sink into insignificance when compared with the handles. A realistic toad mounted on a green enamel stick forms one of the most favored parasol handles, while carved wood parrot heads in a variety of colors are also considered good form. These handles belong to imported parasols, which are generally made of changeable Dresden green silk. To own one it costs $12. The grass linen sunshade, when lined with green silk, also has a parrot or toad perched on the top of the handle.

A special novelty this season is the changeable taffeta silk parasol, with a purse attached to the handle.

The handles are of carved wood, with a kitten's or dog's head on the top. The purse is in dark or light leather, and is fastened to the handle by elastic bands. To the women who know not the privilege of a pocket this combination of a parasol and purse will be found most convenient, especially in crowded cars, where to hold the pocketbook in the hand, cling to the strap and carry one's bundles is well-nigh an impossibility.

All the new parasol handles measure from seven to nine inches in length, and many of them are very costly. Those of natural wood and bamboo are used for ordinary wear. When the cover of the parasol is Dresden or Persian silk, these wood handles have a crystal ball in the same color as the foundation of the silk at the top. Sometimes the crystal ball is half covered with a tracery of gilded silver, which adds to the effect, and incidentally to the price.

Even parasol handles have succumbed to the miniature craze. One of the most beautiful handles seen this spring was made of tortoise shell, ornamented with an exquisitely painted miniature outlined with a decorative design in gold.

The gold and silver handles with the jeweled tops illustrate one of the ways in which the society woman disposes of her wealth. There are gold handles with a ball top, studded with turquoise, and other handles of gold or burnt ivory, with a single large gem at the top. An exquisite burnt ivory handle with an irregular tracery of gold has a gleaming topaz for the top. Another of mother of pearl is capped with an amethyst set in tiny pearls.

A magnificent parasol of yellow silk and duchesse lace has a twisted gold handle, with a ball at the top. This ball is the feature of the handle, though it would not appear so to the casual observer. But if a certain hidden spring is touched the ball opens and a bit of a watch is found ticking away inside.

One of the most expensive of the new parasols is of black chiffon and duchesse lace, with the entire handle of white crystal. At the top the crystal is formed into an elongated ball, inlaid with bits of vari-colored enamel. The parasol handles of wood, with the cluster of fruit as the decoration, are both new and novel. For the young woman devoted to golf there is a parasol handle which represents her golf stick. It is generally used with a grass linen parasol.—N. Y. Sun.

POURED IN WRONG.

That Placed the Other Half of the Liquor on Top.

A preacher with views on the temperance question was walking soberly along a dusty road. A farmer with an empty wagon, save that it contained a gallon jug, overtook him and asked if he did not wish to ride. The preacher, assenting, climbed into the wagon, and as they jogged along toward the next village the two fell into conversation.

Now, the preacher had his suspicions concerning the jug and led the talk around to the subject of temperance, expounding his views at great length and with appropriate emphasis. Much to his surprise, his companion quite agreed with him. Nevertheless the preacher still continued to suspect the jug.

"My friend," he said presently, "would you mind telling me what you have in the jug here?"

"Ham," said the farmer.

"I feared so," continued the preacher. "Now, my dear friend, you have quite agreed with all I have said on this great question of temperance."

"Yes."

"Can you not give a proof that you do in what you say and pour out this accursed liquor?"

"No."

"But I cannot understand—"

"Wall," said the farmer, "ye see I'd do it for ye, only half the liquor in that jug belongs to my brother."

"Then empty your half, my friend."

"But I can't do that, nuther. Ye see, his half's on top."—Boston Budget.

Our Ailments.

There is something humiliating in the fact that we all—unless we are unbalanced persons, as some of us doubtless are—love to talk about our ailments. An invalid often seems to find her chief joy in retailing to sympathizing friends all her symptoms. The truth is that our ill health is of no interest to any one besides those who love us, and we only weary even them by talking over our ailments. While mental anguish is often eased by "talking it out," bodily pain is never banished by moaning over it. To fret over pain that must be borne is childish. To suffer and be strong—and therefore silent—is sublime.—Harper's Bazar.

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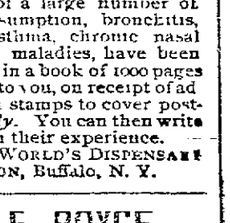

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—The insurance upon St. Paul's cathedral is about $475,000.

—The newly elected president of Kenyon college, at Gambier, O., W. F. Pierce, is but 29 years old.

—It is said that Prince Arthur of Connaught, who has just been entered as a scholar of Eaton, will never reflect glory upon the school by his brilliant scholarship.

—Dr. O'Donnell, bishop of Raphoe, has directed that Irish be used in preaching sermons by all priests wherever in his diocese the population is Irish-speaking.

—Hong Wo Sing is at 96 probably the oldest professor actively engaged in educational work in the world. He occupies the chair of physiology in the school for the sons of the empire at Peking, which is the most ancient university in existence.

—The total enrollment at the University of Michigan is 2,917, exclusive of the summer school, which has 97 enrolled, making the total 3,014. There are 173 names on the faculty roll. The heaviest enrollment by far is in the department of literature, which carries 1,204 students.

—Not many years ago the Fiji islanders were considered incapable of civilization, but last year these same men gave nearly $25,000 to the cause of foreign missions. Orders have just been sent to London for 5,000 Bibles, 5,000 hymn books and 5,000 catechisms, to be sold in the Fiji islands.

—Dr. Eliza M. Mosher, of Brooklyn, who will enter upon her duties as professor of hygiene in the University of Michigan in the autumn, has had a thorough medical training in this country and Europe, and for some years has had a successful practice in Brooklyn. She is the first woman professor to be called to the University of Michigan.

THE TIP CUSTOM.

Works Hardship on Those Who Are Not Wealthy.

One of the most painful results of the lavish expenditures of money by those who gather it easily is the growth of the "tip" habit in all parts of the country. This giving of a dime or a quarter or half-dollar, for little trifles, officiously rendered (by those who have no claim whatever upon the gratitude or the generosity of the individual receiving the service) is entirely the result of those who have money in abundance. It is entirely the result of that pompous magnanimity which those who possess splendid resources may easily exercise. It is nothing to a millionaire to "tip" a waiter 50 cents or more for little attentions rendered during the progress of a meal. To a man with a comfortable income, or whose money comes rapidly, this is one of the methods of showing that he is not close-fisted in his hour of prosperity nor unmindful of the hopeless struggle maintained by others in their efforts to live decently. Originally "tips" were the fruits of generosity and well meaning, as in the beginning of all things, all was good. It is imitation long continued without rhyme or reason that is bad.

For instance, "tips" given in imitation of the wealthy by a host of nobodys who are dying to be somebody are invariably bad. They are bad because they are not the fruit of sincere generosity. They are given because, in the bright cafe where men of influence are wont to lounge the giving has come to be considered the proper thing. They are given because in a public parlor men of evident social standing are seen to put their hands into their pockets and gracefully acknowledge slight services. They are given just as everything is given by those who ape what they cannot hope to be, i. e., out of deep-seated desire to do the proper thing handsomely, and so the seeds of evil are sown.

Once given and imitated, "tips" became the habit, then the fashion, then the rule and necessity and finally the tax and the hardship, which all must endure who would enjoy any of the comforts of metropolitan life. All menials get the "tip" fever and the most frugal workers are made to feel the effects of the extortionate practice. Citizens who would ordinarily be able to patronize a respectable dining-room or bath or barber shop are compelled to seek the less pretentious and more homely places. They are compelled to endure the "second-hand" and the "second-grade," and to put up with impoliteness and the many little rudenesses which in the better grade of resorts the "tip" does away with. Only those who are compelled to do such things can appreciate the galling miseries of the necessity. It is perhaps needless to suggest that the "tip" should be tabooed.—Every Month.

Bird Music.

In Mr. Nehrling's treatise on North American birds, now being published in successive parts, he calls attention to a singular arrangement of bird songs, a kind of daily musical programme, which nature seems to have fixed. The robin, he says, opens the music from the earliest daybreak, singing in a serious and solemn strain; but the bobolink, with its cheerful and rollicking notes, does not begin until sunrise, when the robin has almost ceased. The morning programme thus proceeds from grave to gay. In the evening, according to Mr. Nehrling, this order is reversed, "and after the comedy is concluded nature lulls us to repose by the mellow notes of the vesper sparrow and the pensive and still more melodious strains of the solitary thrush."—Youth's Companion.

Brave Woman.

Women are acknowledged to be really braver than men. The anticipated pain or peril they shrink from is feminine timidity, but if they are plunged into the midst of a great danger, you seldom find one that is not brave and helpful. The woman who has hysterics at sight of a mouse will be the last one to leave a sinking ship, or will with dogged courage defend her home against burglars, her child against the fury of a mad dog.—Albany Argus.

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Mere Nothin.

Judge Gary has a dry wit with him that is occasionally the cause of his grim courtroom being pervaded by a very audible tittering.

The other day one of the attorneys was airing his indignation. He had been robbed. Yes, sir, robbed. It was shameful the way things went right there under the eyes of the law.

Finally Judge Gary noticed the fuming and fretting one.

"What's the matter now?" he asked.

"Matter? It's a compound outrage. Had my overcoat stolen right from this room."

The judge smiled a little.

"Overcoat, eh?" he said. "Pah, that's nothing! Whole suits are lost here every day."—Green Bag.

He Would Help Him.

"Didn't you tell me that your father had expressed a wish to die with his boots on?" asked Mr. Lingerly, gloomily.

"Yes, George," replied Miss Goodnite; "but why?"

"Because," returned Mr. Lingerly, "if I meet him again with the same boots on with which he saw me last night, he will. That's all."—Brooklyn Life.

A Manager's Ill Luck.

Theatrical Manager (despondently) —I am undone!

Wife — Mercy! Has the theater burned down?

"Worse! That new play on which I spent so much money contains such a fine moral lesson that the preachers are advising people to go see it. Now it won't draw enough to pay the ushers." —N. Y. Weekly.

More Than He Bargained For.

He was oft inclined to revel in the wine that gurgled red,
And he grew to be an expert at the horizontal bar;
But one night a surly roundsman took him by the sleeve and said:
"We will go and see some bars that are perpendicular."
—Chicago Tribune.

Economical Point of View.

"It seems to me, Billiger," said Mrs McSwat, "it would be a waste of money to buy a tandem when we have two bicycles already."

"That's just like a woman," retorted Mr. McSwat. "Don't you see, Lobelia, that when we go out riding with it at night we only need one lantern!"—Chicago Tribune.

Sweet Bait.

Fond Mother—Willie, as you come home from school, stop at the store and get me two bars of soap and a nickel's worth of candy.

Fond Father—What in the world do you want the candy for?

F. M.—Oh, that's so he'll not forget the soap.—To Date.

Asking for Details.

"I tell you, my son John, who graduated last June, is carrying everything before him now," said old Mr. Reddick, proudly.

"Ah," said Mr. Spatts, unimpressed, "is he a waiter in a restaurant or is he pushing a wheelbarrow on a railroad?" —Art in Dress.

Reason to Be Thankful.

Sympathizing Neighbor—The burglars seem to have carried off about everything of value in the house. It's too bad!

Householder—Yes, but it might have been a great deal worse. They didn't wake the baby.—Chicago Tribune.

Driven to It.

Women, if your hats were doffed
So men could see the stage,
The "lords" would not go out so oft
To quench their burning rage.
—L. A. W. Bulletin.

EXCUSABLE ERROR.

"Since when have you become interested in chemistry?"

"Nonsense. That's my wife's toilet table."—Fliegende Blaetter.

Justice.

The crime is charged before the bar;
The jury then doth sit
To see which one of them shall hang—
The murderer or it.
—Detroit Tribune

She Knew Her Own Sex.

Saleslady—I sold that big woman that expensive silk waist, after all.

Floor-walker—How did you work it?

Saleslady—Oh, I told her I thought she was too fat to look well in it.—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Stating the Whole Case.

Magistrate—The evidence shows that you threw a brick at a man.

Mrs. McDuff—An' it shows more than that, yer honor. It shows that I hit him.—Tit-Bits.

Neither Suited.

Angry Husband—What I wanted was a wife who would be a helpmeet.

Angry Wife—Huh! What I wanted was a husband who would supply meat to help.—N. Y. Weekly.

Eminent Domain.

Brown—What is eminent domain?

Jones—It means the right of the public to take a man's property by paying a little more for it than anyone else will.—N. Y. World.

Excusable.

Mack—Why do you put weather strips around your windows in summer?

Wyld—The family across the street has bought a piano.—Town Topics.

The Sporting Idea.

We do not mind the terrible heat,
If we know the highest record's beat.

Drawing the Line.

"I suppose you will support the bride on her way up the aisle?"

It was the bridegroom-elect who asked the question. He was discussing the details of the ceremony with his father-in-law elect. The latter replied:

"Yes, I suppose I shall have to do that, but I want it distinctly understood that I cease supporting her the minute the ceremony is over; then it will be your turn."—Art in Dress.

Approximate.

"When did that famous defense of the pass at Thermopylae take place?" asked Dolly Cumrox, who is studying the classics.

"I can't say," her father replied, "with any precision. I have a bad memory for dates. But it must have been since the interstate commerce commission was established."—Washington Star.

A Poor Plan.

Husband—So that new girl goes out three nights a week. I'll tell you how to keep her in. Scare her. Tell her a terrible fellow called Jack the Kisser is prowling around, kissing every girl he can catch.

Wife (doubtfully)—Well, I don't know, my dear; I was a young girl once myself. I'm afraid she'd be out every night.—N. Y. Weekly.

Medicine Up to Date.

Physician of the New School (after turning X ray on patient)—Your case is a somewhat complicated one. There is a slight trouble with your left lung, and I observe enlargement of the liver and fatty degeneration of the heart. Kindly hand me that $2.54 in your right-hand trousers pocket, and I will prescribe for you.—N. Y. World.

Qualified by Experience.

Official at the Grand Central Station —Well, sir, what can I do for you?

"I'm here in answer to your advertisement for a track walker."

"Any experience?"

"Plenty. I was for five years heavy tragedian in a traveling theatrical show."—Yonkers Statesman.

Different Kinds.

"Nan, how many kinds of club women are there?"

"Well, there are women who are smart enough to belong to clubs, women who are not smart enough to belong to clubs, and women who are smart enough not to belong to clubs."—Chicago Record.

Old But Ever Funny.

Mr. Whitley—Old chap, how gray you are getting; and only 35, too.

Mr. Gray—Well, there is one godsend, anyway.

Mr. Whitley—And that?

Mr. Gray—Whom the gods love dye young.—Judy.

Eve Never Did.

We can blame, if we will, on our poor Mother Eve
All the woes that we suffer to-day:
But she did not establish the style, we believe,
Of wearing big hats to the play.
—L. A. W. Bulletin.

CIRCUMSTANCES ALTER, ETC.

Miss Bell—The bonds of matrimony never pay a dividend.

Miss Nell—But sometimes they pay alimony.—St. Louis Republic.

Getting Unpopular.

As on his daily trip he went,
The sun exclaimed: "I vow
There's no denying that I am
The champion scorcher now."
—Washington Star

In the Suburbs.

"Your husband painted the house this spring himself, didn't he?"

"Well, yes, I suppose he got some of the paint on the house, but you wouldn't think so if you could see his clothes."—Chicago Post.

Wrong Way Round.

Spencer—Who was it wrote "Men must work and women must weep?"

Ferguson—Forgotten. But it's good.

Spencer—Rubbish! Women more often weep when men don't work.—N. Y. World.

Immolated.

"She killed herself because she couldn't cook."

"How absurd!"

"Well, she couldn't help it. She had to eat her own dishes, you know."—Detroit Tribune.

Beyond His Comprehension.

Ichabod—Is your wife still away from home?

Bildad—She's away from home yet, but I can't imagine her still.—Town Topics.

The Joshua Act.

Mother—How often have I told you, Tommy, that you should never let the sun go down on your anger?

Tommy—I can't help it, mother; I ain't no Joshua.—N. Y. World.

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18—Grand avenue and Prince street.
23—Wickham avenue, corner Liberty street.
24—West Main street and Wallkill avenue.
25—North street, corner Wickham avenue
26—James and Henry streets
27—North and John streets, Erie crossing.
28—Lake avenue and West street.
29—W. Main street, corner Monhagen avenue.
213—State Hospital Gate.
214—Prospect street and Highland avenue
215—Rear of State Hospital.
34—Fulton and Mill streets, hat shop.
35—High and Hanford streets.
36—Canal street, roundabout.
37—Mulberry and Fulton streets
38—Fairview avenue and South street.
41—Fulton street and East avenue.
42—Academy avenue and Hamilton avenue.
43—East Main street and Railroad avenue
45—East Main street, foot of Orchard street.
46—Academy avenue and Gemma street.
47—Myrtle and Prospect avenue.
48—Grant street and Sprague avenues.
49—East Main street and Prospect avenue.
54—North street, near Orchard.
57—Franklin Square.

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1 stroke denotes circuit broken.
2-2-2 strokes of bell denotes Chief's call.
3 strokes of bell denotes 12 o'clock time.
4 strokes of bell denotes recall, fire is out

The Fleming Trial.

New York, June 16.—The defense in the case of Mrs. Fleming, on trial for causing the death of her mother, will begin to-day. After the prosecution rested last evening the prisoner's counsel asked Recorder Goff to dismiss the indictments and to advise the jury to acquit the defendant: first, on the ground of insufficiency of proof: secondly, owing to the absence of material proof, and thirdly, because upon the proof his honor could not properly pass a judgment upon the defendant. The motion was promptly denied and counsel took an exception.

Three Wives.

"Well, of all the impudence! Asking me to help you because you have three wives to support!"

"They don't belong to me, mister; nothin' of the sort. They belong to me sons-in-laws."—Indianapolis Journal.

A Dead Give-Away.

Charlie Bondelipper—I haven't got anything for you. Why don't you borrow from your friend?

Johnnie Fewsteads—What's the use of asking him? He always expects to be paid back.—Texas Sifter.

Not Unduly Puffed Up.

"It has been frequently remarked," writes the editor of the Spiketown Blizzard, "that we look like the emperor of Germany. This simply goes to show that the emperor of Germany looks like us."—Chicago Tribune.

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Their Impudence.

Two young Indian gentlemen of the pursuing the study of the law [illegible] were invited by the master of the Temple to pass an evening at [illegible]. The time fixed for the assembling of the interesting party arrived, but nobody came. When nearly an hour had passed in fruitless waiting the master's lady rang for the maid —a new one, as it happened, not yet quite accustomed to the ways of the house. She entered in a state of considerable excitement. "Have none of the gentlemen arrived?" asked her mistress. "No," answered the domestic, "but a lot of impudent nigger minstrels has been a-ringin' at the bell, and I have been a-drivin' 'em away, mum!"

Dental.

She—What superb teeth she has!

He—Yes, but they are false.

She—Why do you think so?

He—She told my sister she inherited them from her mother.—Bay City Chat.

Doing Well.

"So Pitkins has gone into the shoe business. How is he doing?"

"Fine. He's selling his goods right and left.—Brooklyn Life.

Still to Evidence.

Mrs. Nagger—The lecture business seems about played out.

Mr. Nagger (sadly)—Yes, all but the curtain variety.—Town Topics.

An Art Connoisseur.

Madame goes with her maid to purchase a still-life picture for her dining-room. She selects at the picture dealer's a painting representing a bouquet of flowers with a pie cut in two and a half-penny roll. She paid 500 francs for the lot.

"Madame," whispered the bonne, "you have made a bad bargain, let me tell you. I saw a picture like that sold for 400 francs."

"And was it as good as this one?"

"Of course it was; there was a lot more pie!"—Moniteur Oriental.

Bicyclist Drowned.

Albany, June 13.—Fred Hunter, 13 years old, son of Hurd Hunter, foreman of steamer five of the Albany fire department, was drowned here yesterday. He was riding along the river front on his bicycle and took a header into the stream.

Nothing But Warmth.

"And when you reached home, was there warmth in your wife's greeting?"

"Warmth! That doesn't exactly express it. It was like a record-breaking day in August."—Chicago Post.

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Cornwall	10 16	9 45	5 00	6 05
W Cornwall lv	22 19	52	5 08	
Ort's Mills	25	55	5 10	
Little Britain	10 30	10 5	5 22	
Burnside	6 55	10 31	5 24	
Campbell Hall	7 07	10 42	5 40	6 20
Stony Ford	7 15	10 52	5 44	
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Main St.	7 33	11 43	5 58	
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Fallsburg	10 32	2 05	7 30	
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Sidney cut'p	3 18		2 05	8 38
Sidney	3 41	5 08	4 20	9 02
Norwich ar	4 35	6 00	5 15	10 02
Norwich lv	4 38	7 25	P M 11 3	10 02
Oneid'a Castle	5 15	8 00	12 35	10 35
Oneida ar	5 30	8 15	12 50	10 50
Oneida lv	5 35	8 20	1 00	11 00
Fulton	6 05	8 50	2 00	
Oswego ar	6 55	9 35	3 00	
	P M	P M	P M	

SOUTH BOUND.

STATIONS.	6 * New York Exp	42 Norwich Exp	14 Delhi Ex	50 Local	2 Day Exp	10 * Milk	28 Local
	P M	P M		A M	A M	A M	P M
Oswego lv	12 30	2 30		10	6 45		
Oneida ar		5 07		12 35	8 46		
Oneida lv	2 11	5 5					
Oneid'a Castle		5 2	P M	1 13	8 53	10	
Norwich ar	3 24	7 15	7 26	2 15	10 37	11 00	
Norwich lv	3 29	P M	7 4	P M	10 42	11 05	6 55
Sidney	4 20		8 45		11 4	12 45	9 10
Sidney cut'p		12	9 38		1 57	1 0	0 25
Delhi lv					11 00		
Walton	5 0	2 15	9 38		1 27	2 40	1 50
Hancock Jct	5 32	1 30			1 20	3 0	
Rockland		2 38	6 00		2 10	3 8	
Livingston Mnr	6 27	3 00	6 14		2 25	4 30	
Parksville		3 6	6 25		2 37		
Liberty	6 48	3 35	6 36		2 51	5 20	
Liberty Falls		3 4	6 41		12 56		
Hurleyville		4 01	6 50		3 06		
Fallsburg	7 07	4 19	6 57		3 11	5 44	
Centreville		4 30	7 01		12 20		
Mountain D.		4 52	7 10		12 25		
Ellenville lv			7 0		3 10	5 0	
Summitville		5 15	7 26		3 45	6 15	
Wurtsboro		5 25	7 3		12 52	6 34	
Bloom'gburgh		5 32	7 43		3 57		
Winterton		5 40	7 43		12 02		
M'town ar	8 00	6 3	8 00		4 21	7 18	
M'town lv	8 10	6 40	8 10		4 30	7 40	
Main St.		6 48	8 2		4 32		
Stony Ford		7 05	8 25		11 46		
Campbell Hall		7 31	8 31		4 53		
Burnside		7 38	8 36		11 57		
Little Britain		7 59	8 46		15 09		
Orr's Mills		8 15	8 52		15 19		
W Cornwall		8 20	8 55		11 21		
Cornwall	8 53	8 3	9 02		5 23	8 4	
Weehawken	10 15	11 00	10 30		7 00	11 0	
New York ar							
W. 42d St.	10 30	11 15	10 40		7 10	11 15	
N. Y.							
Pkin St ar	10 45	11 30	10 55		7 25	11 30	
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	Daily a m	Daily, ex Su p m	Su p m
New York	8 30	....	4 0
Jersey City	8 46	....	4 1
Hackensack	9 14	....	4 4
Paterson	9 29	....	5 0
Franklin	11 09	3 50	6 4
Hamburg	11 17	4 06	6 6
Pokertown	11 6	4 15	7 0
Unionville	11 41	4 40	7 1
Westtown	11 47	4 50	7 2
Johnson	11 52	5 03	7 2
Slate Hill	11 57	5 11	7 3
Middletown	12 07	5 25	7 4

SOUTH.

	Daily, ex Sun a m	Sun a m	Daily p m
Middletown	6 30	8 00	4 4
Slate Hill	6 42	8 8	4 5
Johnson	6 48	8 27	5 0
Westtown	6 53	8 36	5 0
Unionville	6 9	9 00	5 1
Pokertown	7 14	9 50	5 5
Hamburg	7 22	10 06	5 4
Parkville	7 29	10 16	5 4
Paterson	9 08	11 56	7 30
Hackensack	9 16	12 07	7 46
Jersey City	9 38	12 29	8 13
New York	9 53	12 41	8 23

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Crawford Branch.

GOING NORTH.

No.	Leave for	James St. Sta.	Main St. Sta
*105	Pine Bush Mail	11 30 a. m.	11 40 a. m.
*115	" "	.....	6 55 p. m.
Sundays only		11.05 a. m.	11.10 a. m.

COMING SOUTH.

*128	arrive from Pine Bush	8 10 a. m.
*130	" " " "	5 55 p. m.

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THE COMMON COUNCIL.

PROCEEDINGS OF MONDAY NIGHT'S ADJOURNED MEETING.

Costly Neglect—To Borrow $5,000—Goshen Jail Yard Stone for Streets—Storm Sewers Ordered—The Water Question Laid Over—Mr. Reed's Burden Removed and Lighting Contracts Awarded.

An adjourned meeting of the Common Council was held last night, present, President Dorrance and Aldermen Abrams, Bowler, Close, Funnell, Hirst, Mance, Reed and Sinsabaugh.

For the first time since the famous midnight session, when Middletown was robbed of its right to elect its own officers, every member of the Council was present. It wasn't even necessary to "send for Abrams," or to "send for the Mayor."

Chief Engineer Thorpe asked that new headstalls for Eagle's horses be purchased before the company goes to Ellenville. He also asked for fifty feet of garden hose for Wallkill Engine Co. Referred to the Fire Committee with power.

NEGLECT OF NEEDED STREET WORK EXPENSIVE.

C. Emmet Crawford called attention to the condition of Cottage street beyond Wisner avenue. He said he had made a complaint a year ago and a team was sent out for half a day. He had put on two teams himself the next day and hauled seventeen loads of gravel and the road was in good condition, but there were no gutters. He had called attention of the Street Superintendent to the matter, but nothing was done, and the result was that what would have cost $10 in May will now cost $100. He also said the same street, between Wickham and Wisner avenues, was in such bad condition that a Sullivan county road is good by comparison. Referred to Street Committee with power to act.

TO BORROW MORE MONEY.

The Mayor said there was a note due for over $4,000, and as the bank account is overdrawn, he asked that a loan of $5,000 be made.

On Mr. Abrams' motion the mayor was authorized to borrow the sum named.

A petition for a sanitary sewer on North street, from Wisner avenue to Low avenue, was read. Referred to Sewer Committee.

MAY GET STONE FROM THE JAIL YARD.

The Mayor said he had conferred with members of the Board of Supervisors in reference to the stone broken by prisoners at Goshen. He had seen the stone and it was just what I wanted. He had not yet received a price, but understood it would be low, as the county wanted a good customer.

Mr. Reed moved to authorize the Mayor to procure crushed stone for the city. Carried.

STORM SEWER ORDERED.

Mr. Reed offered a resolution ordering the construction of a storm sewer on East Main street from Prospect avenue to Horton avenue, a distance 950 feet. Adopted.

Mr. Funnell offered a resolution ordering the paving, curbing and resetting of curbing on both sides of Montgomery street from the Erie Railway to Roberts street. Adopted.

Mr. Funnell moved that the walk be curbed and guttered on the south side of Prospect street from Wickham avenue to North street. Carried.

Mr. Reed moved that a three foot flag walk be laid on the easterly side of Blye Park. Carried.

Mr. Reed moved that water pipe be run inside the curb at Blye Park.

Mr. Close said Ogden street was in such condition that a team could hardly get through. There were no gutters and no work had ever been done on it. On Mr. Mance's motion the Street Superintendent was instructed to repair the street.

Mr. Mance moved that a crosswalk be laid on North street on the south side of Prospect street. Carried.

THE WATER QUESTION LAID OVER.

The certificate of the Board of Water Commissioners as to the necessity of an additional supply of water and asking that the question of the issue of bonds for the construction of additional water works as recommended by Engineers Croes and Otis be submitted to the taxpayers was read.

On Mr. Reed's motion the matter was laid over until the next meeting.

Inspector Combs reported several property owners who had not complied with the order to remove their leaders into the sewers. Several members favored collecting the penalty at once and others wanted to have it laid over until next spring. It was finally voted to lay it over.

MR. REED'S BURDEN REMOVED.

Mr. Reed, who had a "burden on his mind" in connection with the lighting contracts at the last meeting, reported for the special committee on lighting contracts in favor of contracting for 50 arc lights at $67.50, 80 gas lamps at $25 and 200 incandescent lamps at $15 each per year, making a total cost of $9,875, and leaving a balance of the appropriation of over $600. This gives 28 more lamps than are now in use.

LIGHTING CONTRACTS AWARDED.

Mr. Reed then moved to award the contracts as recommended and it was carried.

This action left the naphtha company out in the cold entirely and its representative, Mr. Hoey, who was present spoke at considerable length and allowed his disappointment to lead him into saying some things that might better have been left unsaid.

He claimed that the placing of an incandescent lamp beside his Welsbach burner was an unfair test as one light burrows from another. He maintained that naphtha lamps were better than incandescent lamps and that those now used here are merely on exhibition and will deteriorate. He claimed that 80 per cent. of the electric plants in the country had gone into the hands of receivers, including the one in this city. He said the incandescent is not an outdoor light and has not given satisfaction where tried.

He also said that his company had 183 lamps here and did not wish to leave the city in darkness by taking them out at once, nor would it be made a convenience by permitting the city to gradually replace its lamps with incandescents, nor would it furnish light for a month or two at the yearly price. He named $2.50 per month for each lamp as the price that would be charged while the lamps remain.

SORRY HE HADN'T GOT IT ALL.

Mr. Jackson, of the Electric Light Co., thanked the Council for the contract awarded his company, but at the same time expressed his regret that he hadn't got the whole thing; but said he hoped to give such satisfaction that he would get the contract for lighting the entire city next year. He said it would take until August 1st to put in the incandescent lamps and if the naphtha company made an extra charge for its lamps he would pay the difference.

MUCH MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

A release of Cantrel street was read and on Mr. Mance's motion the street was accepted.

An invitation of Eagle Hose Co. to the Council to be the guests of the company at Ellenville on July 4th was accepted.

A communication from T. A. Mapes demanded that the Canal street sewer be disconnected from the Fulton street sewer, as it carries storm water. He also demanded that all other sanitary sewers used as storm sewers be disconnected.

The Fire Department election was confirmed.

NEW ARC LIGHTS ORDERED.

On Mr. Close's motion an arc light was ordered at corner of DeWitt street and Grand avenue.

On Mr. Reed's motion an arc light was ordered at Blye Park and another on East Main street between Academy avenue and the Erie crossing.

On Mr. Abrams' motion an arc light was ordered at Sprague avenue and Washington street.

On Mr. Bowler's motion owners of property on Mills avenue were ordered to cut down the walks to grade.

On Mr. Mance's motion the obstructions on Beacon street were ordered removed and the walk cut down to grade.

On Mr. Sinsabaugh's motion the Street Superintendent was directed to grade the Orchard street school house lot.

The Building Committee was authorized to repair roof and walls of Wallkill engine house.

On motion of Mr. Hirst John Skelton's bill for taking tramps to Goshen was laid over for investigation.

Mr. Reed moved that the resolution of Alderman Hirst of Oct. 18, authorizing the purchase of sewer caps of J. G. Martin at $8.50 for the lot or $9 singly be rescinded. The motion was lost.

BILLS AUDITED.

The following bills were audited:

Police	$277 63
Pay roll	639 90
Geo. S. Belding, flowers for park	40 00
J. L. Wiggins, disbursements	37 60
Hoyt & Galloway, tile	72 04
W. M. Combs, inspector	54 00
F. R. Wilson, storing booths	60 00
Boston Woven Hose Company, expansion rings	3 00
Chas. B. Hulse, Inspector	3 00
John Miles, "	3 00
C. Z. Taylor, "	3 00
C. E. Crawford Furniture Co	1 90
W. I. Purdy, health officer	100 00
C. C. Foss, sanitary inspector	62 50
Kalamazoo Foundry Co., trench braces	32 60
I. S. Benjamin, sewer caps	136 30

GREYCOURT.

A Train Jumps the Track—An Interesting Game of Ball.

Correspondence ARGUS and MERCURY.

—As train 77, west bound, Conductor M. Hannes, engine 865, Meaner engineer, was pulling out of the siding Friday night at Greycourt, one of the cars mounted the rail and jumped the track, throwing four loaded cars off and blocking the west bound track until 12.25, Saturday morning. Trains 13 and 37 were run around on the east bound track to Goshen. Jersey City and Greycourt wreckers cleared the tracks.

—The game of ball played on Maple avenue grounds, Chester, between Florida and Chester, resulted in a victory for the Florida team by a score of 11 to 5. This is the first game the Chesters have taken part in since they donned their new suits. They make a very creditable appearance, being of a brown color with white letters "Chester." The features of the game were the pitching of Tierney and batting of Rens Decker, of the Florida team. The Chester men were unable to guage Tierney's delivery and were mowed down like grass before a scythe.

—A west bound freight train struck and killed a cow belonging to Charles Wells, just west of Goshen, Monday.

OBITUARY.

John B. Blake.

John B. Blake, a former resident of this city, died, Sunday, June 21, at the residence of his son-in-law, Chas. L. Pitts, at Hoboken, N. J. The body will be brought to this city, to-morrow for interment in Hillside Cemetery.

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OTISVILLE.

Baccalaureate Sermon—Missionary Society Meeting—Commencement Exercises—Personal and Other Notes.

Correspondence ARGUS and MERCURY.

—There was a large attendance of pupils and friends of the Otisville Public School at the Presbyterian Church, Sunday evening, to listen to the Baccalaureate sermon by the Rev. R. J. Diven. It was a fine effort, replete with bright gems for the encouragement of all.

—The Missionary Society will meet at the home of Mrs. Dodge, Saturday next, at 3 o'clock. Mrs. Neaffie, of Goshen, is expected to be there. It is the wish of the officers that all interested in the work be present.

—Extensive preparations are being made by our energetic teachers for the closing exercises of the public school, Thursday evening of this week. A cordial invitation is extended to the friends and patrons of the school.

—It is not often that cats enjoy a trip to Newburgh by carriage and in such company as five cats from the town of Mount Hope were able to travel in, Saturday. They were sent to the family of Under Sheriff Howell and we are sure will be appreciated. By a strange coincidence, Messrs. Charles Boyd and Jesse Mapes went to Newburgh on that day, returning on Monday.

—Miss Alice How ll was a guest of Miss Hattie Beyea last week.

—Miss Genevieve Still spent most of last week at the homes of Horton Eaton and the Misses Beyea.

—Mr. and Mrs. Sharpe and son Willie, of New York, are spending the week with Mrs. A. W. Dodge.

—James Rundal, of New Jersey, was visiting his aunt, Mrs. George Writer, last week. While here he put in order several musical instruments. His brother, Isaac Rundal, is now a guest of Mrs. Writer.

—The C. E. Society of Otisville, was represented at Newburgh by Rev. R. J. Diven, Mrs. Diven, Miss Mary Diven, Mrs. Charles Loomis and Miss Hattie Tidd.

—Alice Elston, of the class of '96, who has been teaching at Coldenham, returned home, Friday.

AMITY.

Strawberry and Ice Cream Festival—The Lord's Supper—Church Sociable—Church Repairs—The New Organ.

Correspondence of ARGUS and MERCURY.

—A strawberry and ice cream festival will be held in Feagles' Hall, Tuesday evening, June 23rd, for the benefit of the Sunday School. The Amity Band will furnish music.

—Miss Adele Christie has gone on an extended visit to Boston.

—The sacrament of the Lord's supper was administered in the church, Sunday morning. Two persons were recieved in full membership, one by letter and the other by confession of faith.

—A church sociable will be held at the home of Mrs. Jacob Sly, near Florida, on Tuesday evening, June 30th. Proceeds for the benefit of Amity Church.

—Mrs. W. Wilcox has gone to Mt. Clemens, Michigan, for her health.

—The repairs to the church are about completed. One of the most noticeable improvements is the new pipe organ. It is made by Jardine & Son, of New York. The mads with which the organ was purchased were a portion of the money bequeathed by Miss Clara Feagles, several years ago. Dedication services will be held next Sunday.

BULLVILLE.

Y. M. C. A. Service—Sociable for the Ball Club.

Correspondence ARGUS and MERCURY.

—The Young Men's Christian Association, of Middletown, will conduct services in the Bullville M. E. Church, next Sunday evening. A full orchestra will accompany them. Please bring No. 2, 3 and 4 gospel hymns.

—The Bullville Base Ball Club will hold a lawn festival on the M. E. Church grounds on Thursday evening of this week. Proceeds for the ball club. All come and have a good time and help the boys along. The Bullville Fife and Drum Corps will furnish music.

—R. Granville Green and little son, Floyd, of New York city, are visiting G. H. Miller, near this place.

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